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19 FRENCH KILLED IN WRECKS; GERMANS BLAMED

SHORT STORIES

Peek With Frills, Facetious and Otherwise.
By "S. S."

The gas puzzle is, May this morning.

Ten more days in February.

Everybody's hollering can't rope on old weather.

Mayor Logan and family went to Natchez yesterday.

Week by week in waterways Port Arthur grows richer and richer for its property owners.

Ships that pass in the night are the bootleggers' delight, says Deputy Sheriff Foote.

H. J. May left the hospital for home this afternoon, having recovered from a recent operation.

"Concrete will probably be poured in Austin avenue between Sixth and seventh streets 'late today'—M. C. Erwin, city engineer.

"No danger of Port Arthur and the Indian district losing that \$350,000 waterway appropriation."—G. N. Hies.

The world was looking so bright on Scout Executive Eddy this morning that he had to put on colored glasses.

Communist Wade stirred from Sunday bath yesterday when called to hear a committee of structural workers make protest.

A cold wave without rain and buds in not so bad, members of the Austin-Proctor corner club agreed today.

Commissioner Poteroff putting in regular day at city hall now helping City Clerk Miles read proof on deed addition ordinance.

"Those fellows who used to sit around and laugh at Arthur Stilwell now have some who say there's nothing to the Atlantic refinery deal.

"This is concrete evidence that the city paving program is underway," said City Father Wade today, waving at pouring operations on Fort Worth avenue.

The sun shone out so bright today.

The birds began to sing: An' everywhere Port Arthur Was a lookin' more like Spring.

—Coffee Club Ballads.

Port Arthur's going to be included in the latest history of Texas, according to a representative of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, who called on the mayor. The history will be in five volumes and known as "Worship of the History of Texas."

The official family has started the picnic season early. E. H. Miles and daughter, Miss Ruby Hies and Commissioner A. A. Poteroff and family motored to Port Neches Sunday and had dinner on the ground. Fine weather for picnicking, says Hies.

SIGHTS S. S. SEES—Negro janitor for Corner Drug store goes into back room to get armload of wood. Nobody comes along slams door, asking it. Negro sets up pitiful wail, crying "help" a hundred Sunday afternoons until somebody produces a key and lets him out.

Harmonic strains filled the air in the 1200 block on Lake Shore drive yesterday afternoon when the third meeting of a flock of songbirds resulted in the organization of "The Lake City Quintet." The quintet includes G. E. Perry, first tenor, "Bill" Archer, second tenor, Paul Bushong, baritone, Neal Rader and Ralph Merritt, bass. The name, they say, is after Port Arthur: "Gateway to the World."

LICE HEADQUARTERS SCENE SINTIERE: Takes out gun; cleans it. ENTER: Chief Word, Chief takes gun; looks into barrel. CHIEF: Gimme that rod, Lau. ENTER: Bee Cowen. Bee takes gun; looks at it. COWEN: Lemme see that oil. COWEN: 'S funny how one man'll use his gun and start the whole lot to doing it, ain't it?

FAIR; WARMER

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Tuesday generally fair; warmer tomorrow. Texas: Tonight generally fair; warmer in south and extreme east; somewhat colder in northwest and central portions. Winds on Texas Coast: Light to moderate tonight; 5 to 10 a.m. tomorrow; 10 to 20 p.m. tomorrow. Maximum temperature, 58; minimum temperature, 40; precipitation, .00. Year Ago Today: Maximum temperature, 72; minimum, 60; precipitation, .00. Tide RECORD: Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under the normal conditions on Tuesday, Feb. 20, taken from tables prepared by the U. S. Navy. Tides: 6:47 a.m., 6:50 p.m.

HOME LABOR FOR BRIDGE PLEDGED

Council Probes Claim of Importations

A CHARTER PROVISION

Contractor's Representative Seeks Another Hearing

Home town labor is going to be used in the construction of the pleasure pier bridge, the city commission decided this morning.

Following a protest made by labor leaders Sunday, a meeting of the commission was called at 9 o'clock this morning to investigate a claim that the contractors had brought out-of-town men to Port Arthur.

It seems that four men accompanied Martin Rasmus, superintendent for Duluth and Williams, to the city from New Orleans. Two of the men are non-union and two are union men.

Provided by Charter. When the meeting was called to order, Commissioner Poteroff explained that the amended charter provides that home labor be used and he also thought the contract called for the same conditions.

"I felt, Mr. Mayor, that if you and Wade would stay with me and not desert me like you did on that 30-cent proposition, we could get rid of the out-of-town men and give the work to local men," Poteroff said.

Rasmus admitted that he had brought four men along with him. Mayor Logan said so far as he was concerned he was opposed to giving the work to outsiders, especially as long as the contract and the charter provided for such. He said, however, that he believed the contractors were unfamiliar with the law and had made no attempt to go into this phase of the job here.

Wade assented as well. Rasmus asked the commission to take no step until another representative of the contracting firm had been heard. This was agreed to. However, Logan said the city would maintain its view and hear the other representative at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

T. R. Palmer represented the structural workers at the commission meeting. Sam Nicks was also present and was heard.

Work on the bridge will begin either Tuesday or Wednesday, it was announced at the meeting. Approximately 25 structural workers will be used on the job, according to Rasmus, although only a few men will be employed at the start of work. It is estimated that it will take three weeks to repair the bridge.

BOOZE RAID IS 11 HOURS LONG

Chief Word and Two Work Overtime With Others III

Chief of Police Word last night started a liquor raid at 5 o'clock that continued until 4 o'clock this morning.

Short four men who are confined to their homes with illness, the chief went out with Detectives L. Simi and Harvey Myers, developing six cases and visiting eight other places.

In many instances the officers "double-bled" in an effort to clean up the work.

A gallon of liquor was found in a sewing machine and a small quantity was detected hidden in a window sill of another place while a woman had deposited a small amount behind a door panel.

A gallon of booze was destroyed when a man running with it came upon Chief Word as he was fleeing from two other officers. The man smashed the bottle on the floor but enough was recovered for evidence.

One woman made bond of \$500 and her case was turned over to the state for grand jury investigation. Bonds for others were set at \$500.

The chief put on a khaki suit and went forth late Sunday to "make a night of it." He says the "work" came so warm that he shed his overcoat.

The four men who have been off duty for the past few days are Detective Bee Cowen, Traffic Officer Washburn, Desk Sergeant Wiley and Patrolman L. L. Turner.

Scout Troops to Have Chance at Silver Cup

A silver loving cup from the men teachers in the Port Arthur schools to the Boy Scout troop having the highest scholastic average for the first term of the 1922-23 session will be awarded Troop 6, at the next Court of Honor held here, it was announced today by Scout officials.

Scout James Ballinger, of Troop 6, will be presented with a medal at the Court of Honor for having the highest individual scholastic average for the first half of the current

Mardi Gras Queen



Miss Emily Hayne, Louisiana's most prominent debutante, ruled in old New Orleans when, in the most gorgeous parade since the war, she passed through a throng of nearly a half million people who celebrated the historic Mardi Gras.

BOGUS \$20 HAS HECTIC CAREER

Changes Hands 6 Times Before Law Steps in

A counterfeit \$20 changed hands half a dozen times here Saturday and finally landed in the hands of police.

The bill had been raised from a green one-dollar note through the clever application of pasted figures, evidently gotten from an old Confederate bill.

It was detected by Fred Keim, employee of the Kansas City Southern, after some of the glue on one of the pasted numerals had worn loose. The pasted corner of the bill had begun to curl.

While the four corners of the note were cleverly worked over, the spread-eagle design in the middle of the bill with the words "One Dollar" were clearly visible and no attempt had been made to tamper with this part of the certificate.

The bill has so far been traced from a rooming house to the Hart Drug store, from there it was taken by a negro to the Hub Clothing store where Keim received it.

Chief Word, who has turned the case over to Chief of Detectives Parsley, says that raising the bill was one of the smoothest jobs that he had ever seen.

E. SONNIER FUNERAL TO BE AT BEAUMONT

Funeral services for E. Sonnier, 45, of 1317 Twelfth street, who died Friday night at Mary Gates hospital, will be conducted this afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. Anthony's Catholic church, Beaumont, Rev. A. J. Kelly, officiating. Burial will be made in Magnolia cemetery, under the direction of J. E. Grammer, undertaker.

Sonnier operated a grocery store near his home on Twelfth street, and had resided in Port Arthur a number of years. He is survived by his widow, four sons and two daughters.

PRO CHIEF SLAIN

Cleveland Man Called to His Door and Shot

CLEVELAND, Feb. 19.—Carl Metta, a federal prohibition agent, was called to the door of his home here early today and shot and instantly killed by an unidentified man.

Metta's wife found his body on the kitchen floor. The assassin also shot at John Salata, occupant of another apartment in the building, who rushed into the hallway upon hearing shooting.

Mrs. Metta said she heard her husband open the rear door in response to a loud knock. He was greeted with a fusillade of bullets, she said.

2 DIE ON INHALING ILLUMINATING GAS

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 19.—Two persons are dead and seven others suffering from the effects of illuminating gas which traveled along water pipes from a broken gas main to their home on Market Street here.

ENGINE CREW KILLED

BRIDGEPORT, Ohio, Feb. 19.—E. S. Duckworth, engineer, was crushed to death and G. E. Halm, fireman, died of scalds when a Baltimore and Ohio freight, plunging from a bridge into Stillwater creek near Freeport, shortly after noon today.

LABOR LEADER KILLED IN FEUD

Steve Kelleher Shot by Dan McCarthy in Chicago

24TH "WAR" VICTIM

Woman Bystander is Hurt When Cafe Party Breaks

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Steve Kelleher, prominent Chicago labor leader, was killed by Daniel McCarthy, another labor leader, in a spectacular gun battle in a crowded cafe here early today. Mrs. Thomas Golden, an innocent bystander, was wounded in the shoulder.

McCarthy fled but was later captured and taken to headquarters where he is alleged to have confessed.

The shooting was the result of disension in the ranks of the Chicago building trades council, police believe.

24th Victim in 10 Year Kelleher was the twenty-fourth victim in labor feuds in Chicago during the past ten years, police records show.

More than 200 men and women, including many coffee slummers, were in Al Teatry's cafe, a famous South Side resort, when the duel to death was fought.

The battle was an outgrowth of the feud between "Big Tim" Murphy and the Moss Enright gang for control of Chicago's labor unions. Enright was slain three years ago.

McCarthy, a former protégé of Thomas Keating, once president of the Chicago building trades council, was seated at a table near the dance (Turn to Page 2, Col. 2)

NEW PARIS SUBWAY OF LATEST DESIGN

PARIS, Feb. 19.—Part of the new subway, "Métro," to be opened to Boulevard Exelmans is now open. The new stations are much brighter than the old ones. The trains on this new line may be dispatched every minute and three quarters, which is fifteen seconds faster than any other line in Paris. The cars are fitted with telephones. In case of a tieup the terminus may be notified at once and help sent out.

BOY ESCAPES

Mitchell Miller, On Bike, Hit By Automobile

A bicycle and a Ford roadster collided this morning at the intersection of Waco avenue and Procter street. Mitchell Miller, 15-year-old messenger boy of the Western Union Telegraph company narrowly escaped death.

Miller was riding the bicycle at the time of the accident, which apparently was unavoidable.

As the lad rode west of Waco avenue toward Procter the Ford swung around the corner and crashed into it in an effort to avoid hitting another car.

Miller was thrown to the ground, but arose to dust himself off and announced that he was unhurt.

The accident attracted a large crowd of people to the street, who assisted the boy to the sidewalk.

The front wheel of his bicycle was badly bent as a result of the impact.

P. O. INSPECTOR DIES IN GUN ACCIDENT

SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 19.—Levy Chance, postoffice inspector, who was found dead in his office in the postoffice here late Saturday afternoon, accidentally shot and killed himself, authorities believed today. Circumstances surrounding the shooting and the position of the wound indicate that the wound was accidentally inflicted.

4 NEGROES DIE IN FIRE

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Four negroes burned to death and another negro and three policemen were overcome by smoke when fire started from an overturned lamp swept in a four-story apartment house in Fleet place, Brooklyn, early today.

STEWART TRIAL RESUMES

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 19.—The trial of W. E. Stewart, organizer of the W. E. Stewart Land Company, accused of using the mails to defraud was resumed here today. The prosecution planned to close its case today.

Some Miners Help the Frau, Others Wreck Traffic



Contrasting attitudes of German miners in the Ruhr are illustrated in these photos. On the left, a German miner is shown helping with the week's wash. On the right, French soldiers are seen repairing German sabotage on the Ruhr railroad.

Tyrrell to Donate 40 Foot Roadway to Atlantic Co.

Hunter Unofficially Confirms Atlantic as Buyers of Big Water Front in Asking Vacation of Road

Further confirmation that the Atlantic Refining company contemplates the construction of a huge plant here was given by Edwin Hunter officially representing "eastern interests," in commissioners court at Beaumont this morning.

Hunter appeared before the court to have a certain road vacated near the Crosby-Tyrrell tract that he is purchasing.

Tentative Agreement Captain Tyrrell concurred with Hunter, and himself asked that the road be dedicated some years ago, which crossed the property to be taken over by Mr. Hunter, be vacated. It was tentatively agreed that Captain Tyrrell will donate a 40-foot roadway following the Kansas City right of way between the Port Arthur and Orange road and the Country Club road.

While Mr. Hunter has refrained from making any announcement of the deal he has been negotiating until title to the property is finally passed, he did tell the commissioners that engineers would follow him immediately. He further said that they would lay plans for the expenditure of a large sum of money.

Amounts to Confirmation Mr. Hunter also made mention of the fact that he had recently gone through a similar experience at Brunswick, Ga., where a number of roads had to be closed before he could locate a large industry there.

It is known that the plant at Brunswick, Ga., is owned by the Atlantic Refining company, which is taken as complete confirmation of the report that the present property near Port Arthur is to be a site for a refinery for the same institution.

FIRE DAMAGES POLLOCK HOME

Leaky Gas Pipe Believed Cause of \$3,500 Loss

Fire believed to have originated from a leaking gas pipe in the kitchen damaged the home of Dr. A. S. Pollock, 2600 Sixth street, to the extent of about \$3,500 at 6:30 a. m. today. The loss is covered by insurance, Dr. Pollock said.

A few minutes after lighting the gas in the kitchen there was a small explosion and a burst of flame filled the room, setting fire to the wall paper and hangings, according to the cook in Dr. Pollock's home. Before the flames were extinguished, part of the roof and rear wall of the house were burned, and smoke and water damaged the furnishings extensively.

BERNHARDT HAS RELAPSE DALLAS, Feb. 19.—Sarah Bernhardt has suffered another relapse and is once more confined to her bed.

Caretakers Win Niche in Hall of Heroes in Rescue of Maniacs

\$8,500 Suit Aftermath of the Death of G. Dolfi

Special to The News BEAUMONT, Feb. 19.—Suit for damages in the sum of \$8,500 was instituted against the Texas Company by F. Milani in behalf of the estate of Guido Dolfi alias Guido Tellegreni today.

The suit is the result of the death of Dolfi two years ago when an engine he was driving ran into an open car of the Texas Company terminals at Tampico and plunged into the lake nearby.

Dolfi was a former resident of Port Arthur.

22 Insane in Asylum Die in Fiery Furnace as Others, Maddened, Impede Work of Rescue

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Surreal tales of heroism in the face of death by fire, with the roar of flames and the shrieks of maniacs, mingling in a wild requiem, were told today as fire commissioners Drennon started his investigation of the holocaust on Ward's Island in which 25 men were killed.

19 Bodies Recovered. Michael Campbell, Alexander Hill and Charles F. Corey, who rescued scores of lunatics as the flames swept the Manhattan State Hospital for the insane, are the living heroes of the tragedy. They were required by Drennon to tell their stories of what happened. An unnamed maniac, not a crank of the world war is another hero who survived. Those who perished were George A. De Eno, Patrick Gilligan and George Reiss, attendants, who gave their lives in the effort to save the mad men in their charge. Twenty-two lunatics died. Nineteen bodies had been recovered at noon and grim squads of soot blackened workers were digging in the debris hunting for six more.

Maniacs Leap on Fireman. There were in addition a number of other men who performed deeds of valor as fire cracked in the wind of the mad house where homicidal and suicidal maniacs were confined. Fireman MacDonagh chopped through a heavy doorway with his axe as the lunatics could escape into another

68 OTHERS HURT IN TWO CRASHES IN GUERRILLA WAR

Paris-Nancy Express Hits a Freight Near Rheims

RUHR, ON TENTERHOOKS

French Threat Death On All Found Responsible

By United Press. RHEIMS, Feb. 19.—Sixteen persons were killed and 68 injured in a collision of the Paris-Nancy express with a freight train here last night, according to a revised casualty list today. Sabotage was responsible, according to officials.

DALHAUSEN, Feb. 19.—Three French were killed and more than 30 are reported injured, when five coupled engines were sent crashing into the rear of a French engineers train between Weitzmar and Dalhausen.

Signals on the line failed to work, it was reported, the French blaming sabotage. One Belgian soldier was killed and a number wounded.

American Ambassador to Berlin is Called Home to Confer With Washington

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—American Ambassador, Hughson at Berlin is coming home to the United States, presumably for consultation with President Harding and Secretary of State Hughes on the serious Franco-German situation, according to authoritative information obtained today by the United Press.

when a Belgian train hit a French supply train at Crefeld between Aix La Chapelle and Duren.

Death sentences will be immediately inflicted upon those found responsible, it was announced, and the French and Belgians are taking extraordinary precautions throughout the Ruhr to prevent further accidents.

RIVAL SENTIMENT BECOMES BITTERER.

ESSEN, Feb. 19.—Fighting between French soldiers and German policemen in different parts of the Ruhr was reported today and the situation seemed to be drifting towards guerrilla warfare. A German policeman shot and wounded a French soldier at Gelsenkirchen the latter returning the fire, wounding the policeman.

Debt Bill is Accepted

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The house ways and means committee today agreed to accept all senate amendments to the British debt funding bill. Chairman Fordney expects the house to pass the bill tomorrow.

In the Legislature.

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 19.—House concurrent resolution by Representative Rountree and others to submit to a vote of the people the question of calling a constitutional convention, was reported out favorably today by the senate committee on constitutional amendments. The resolution was proposed by one member of the committee, Senator Wirth, who will submit a minority adverse report.

Representatives of clothing establishment, in Dallas, San Antonio, and other large Texas cities, are here today to protest against the truth-fabric bill, which has passed the house and is now in the senate.

The senate was without a quorum this morning and recess was taken until 2 p. m. Nineteen senators answered the roll call. Twenty-one constitutives a quorum. Seven senators are making an investigation of the penitentiary and prison farms. The house is at work with 107 members present.

Representative Patman's joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution to separation of taxes was made a special order for Wednesday morning and the house agreed to consider all other joint resolutions Friday morning.

The house at time of recess, at noon had under consideration house bill for licensing water wheels by an amendment by Representative Williamson as pending business. The original bill provides for a license of fifty cents per horsepower and also a weight tax. The Williamson amendment seeks to make the horsepower tax 17 1/2 cents and in-

Movies Made by and for Dumb-bells Says Kyne Singing Swan Song

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19.—"Motion pictures are built by dumbbells to appeal to dumbbells," Peter B. Kyne, author, declared today in a farewell bombardment.

"I am leaving the fourth largest industry in the United States to face its fate without any regrets," said the creator of Campy Ricks.

"It is stupid to talk about ideals in the movies. Movies don't know an ideal when they see one. It is also a misnomer to call motion pictures an art—they are a cannery."

"It is a mistake to say that authors do not co-operate with motion pictures. They want to co-operate, producing simple-minded pictures and not want co-operation."

"I see no future for motion pictures until they get down to brass tacks and cut out the hokum. The public wants better pictures."

"Those who control the movies do not want clean, honest films, but build their stories on the theory of shocking the nervous systems, rather than appealing to the heart, with a laugh here and there and a vagrant tear."

"The present pictures are built by dumbbells, to appeal to dumbbells. The actors are dumb, the directors are dumb, the big second-hand cloth-

ing are still second-hand clothing merchants—out to sell a shoddy product for the highest price."

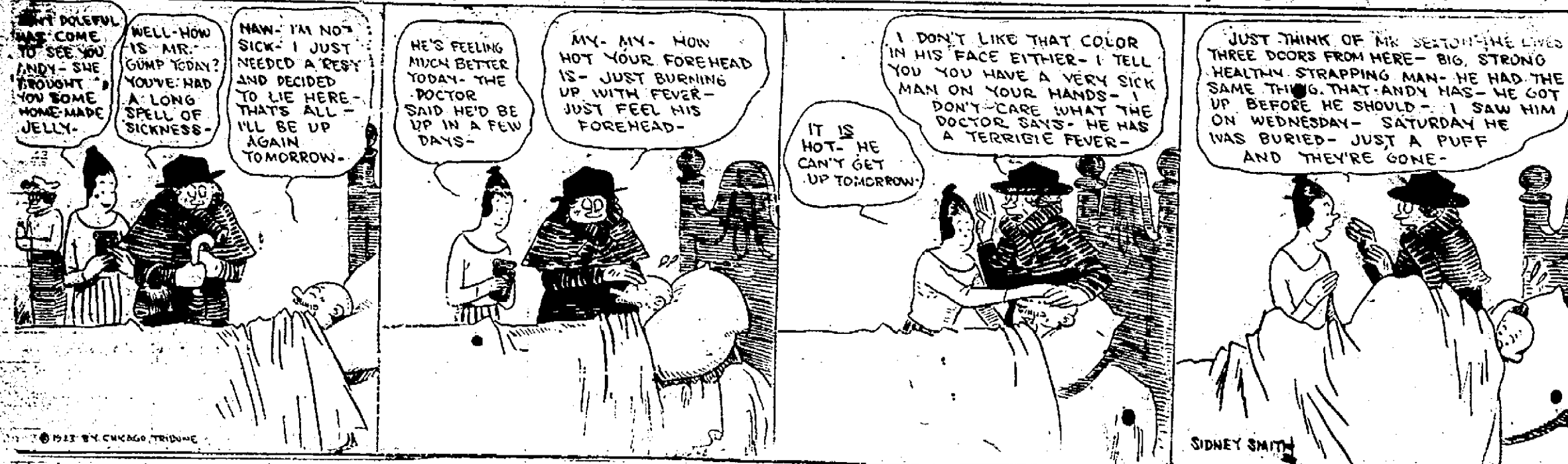
"The men producing pictures that are not an insult to the intelligence consist of a small handful of independent stars—they can be counted on one hand."

Kyne declared he was "singing" his "swan song" and was through with writing for the movies because he was tired of the "brainlessness" of the industry.

"In order to put over my stories," he said, "I found I had to peddle them from studio to studio. I like selling the stories, all right, but I dis-

THE GUMPS

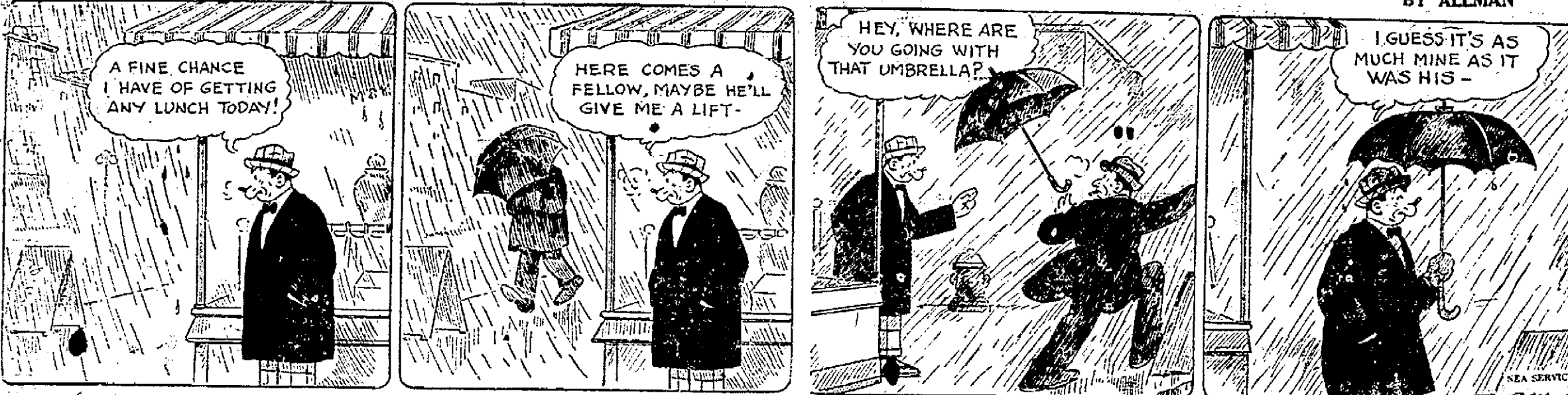
On The Right—You See the Pearly Gates



DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

That Guilty Feeling

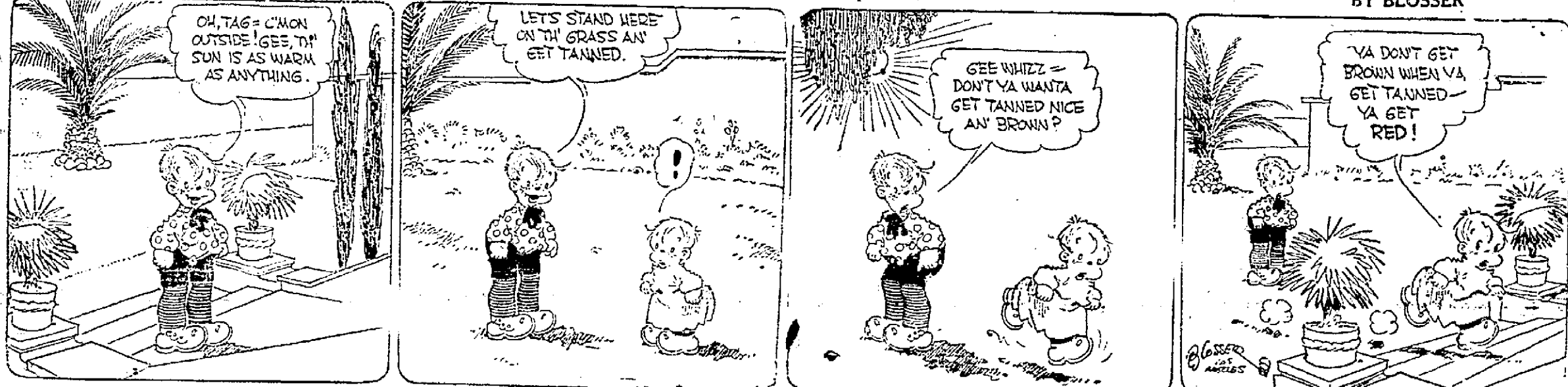
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Tag's Had Experience

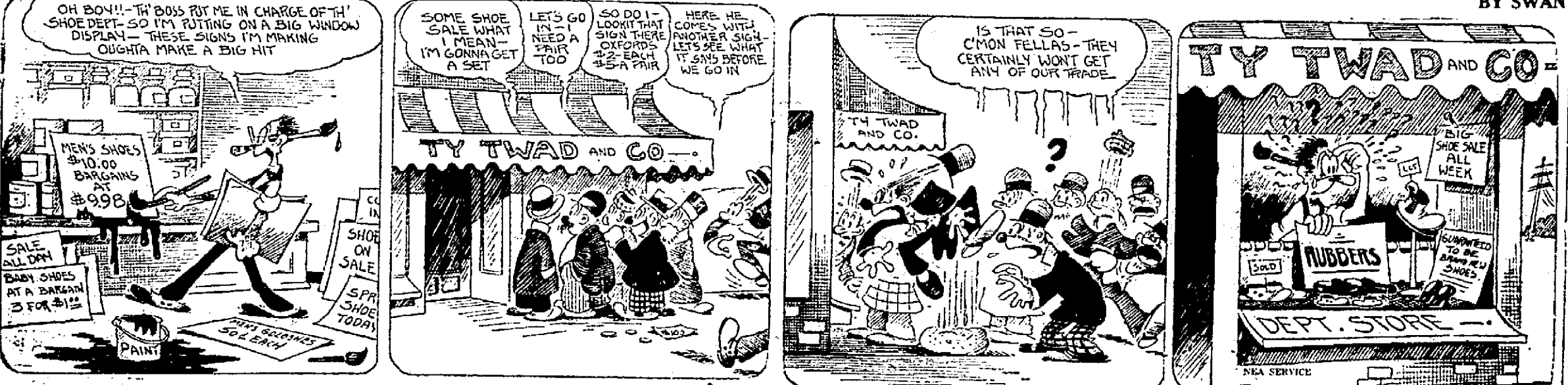
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SALESMAN SAM

Sam Pulls a Boner

BY SWAN

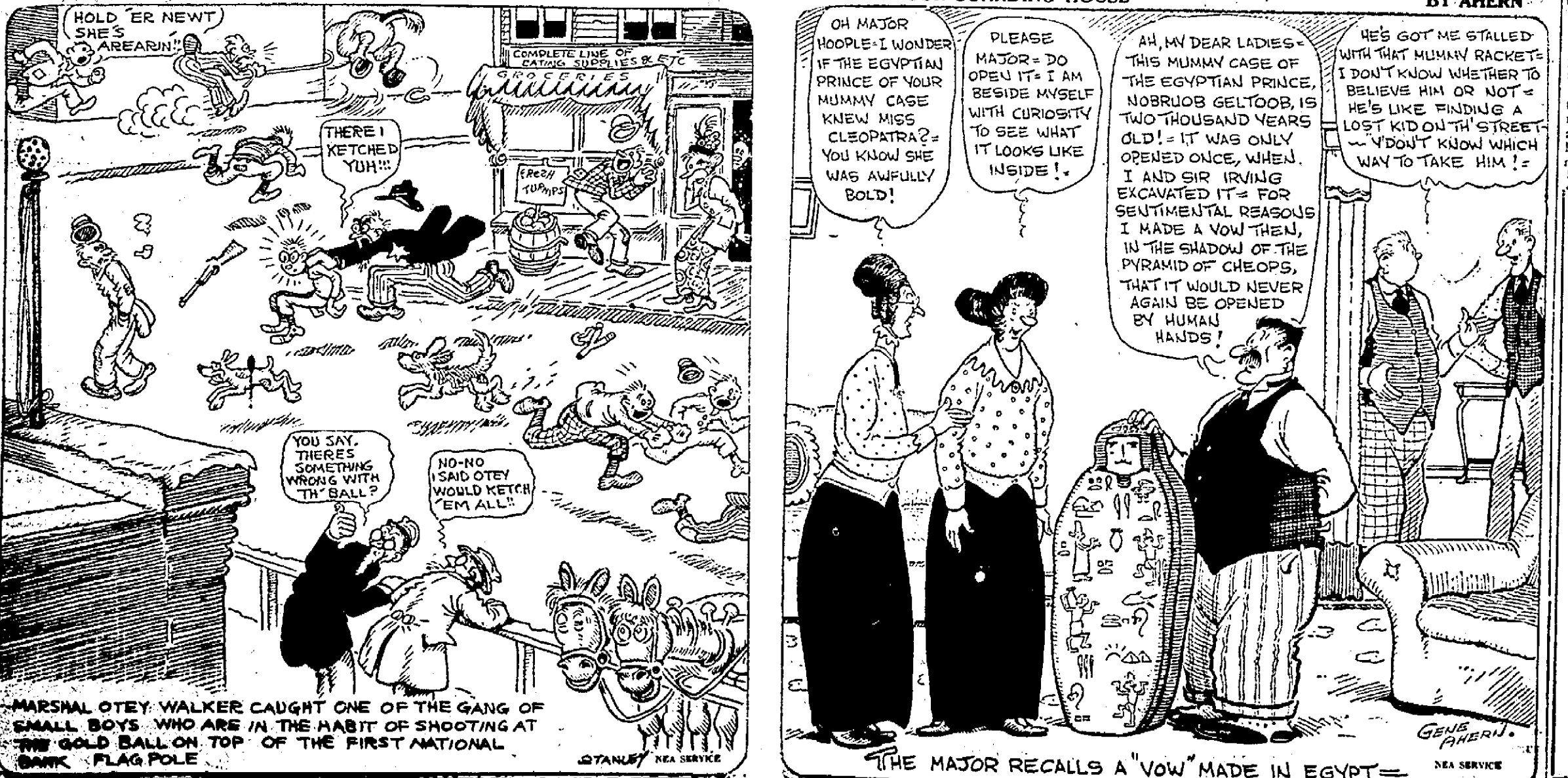


THE OLD HOME TOWN

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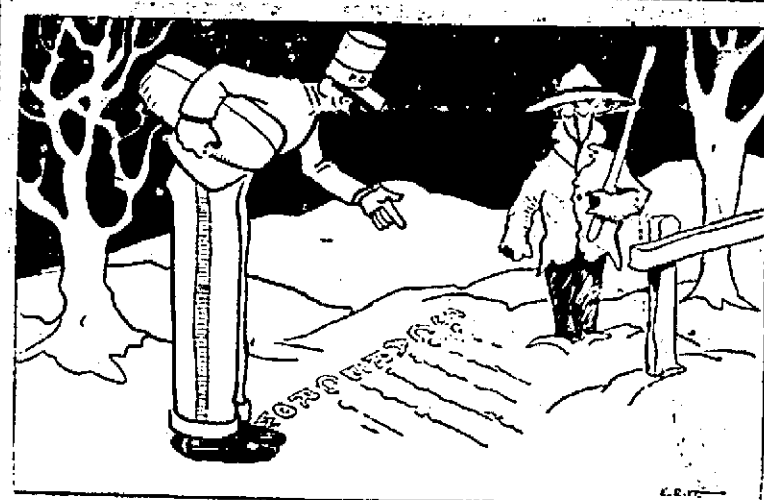
OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY AHERN



ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
SCARECROW'S VALENTINE

By Olive Roberts Barton



Mr. Stridalong Longstride saw it on his way to deliver a parcel post package.

This is the valentine that Jack Frost sent to Scarecrow. Only he didn't write it and drop it into the hickory tree postoffice for other people. No, sir, he wrote it in the snow with a big stick right under Scarecrow's very own straw nose. Mr. Stridalong Longstride saw it on his way to deliver a parcel post package, and when he came back he told Nany and Nick and Mr. Stumps about it, so they all rushed out to see. Sure enough! There were the mortifying words right in the snow. This is what they said:

"S is for straw with which you are stuffed.
C is for coat that is ragged and seuffed.
A is for arms that flap this way and that.
R is for rags that would frighten the cat.
E is for empty, the way that you look.
C is for clothes from the farmer you took.
R is for ribs that were made from a broom.
O is for off—in your head there is room.
W is for witch which is just what you look like!"

"Oh, the horrid old thing!" cried Nany. "Don't you believe him, you poor old dear, you don't look like a witch at all!"

"Oh, don't!" said Scarecrow in a relieved voice. "I'm very glad. I'm afraid I'm sensitive, my feelings are so easily hurt. But I really must look a bit sooty, being here since last spring. But never mind. Spring will be here again soon, and I'll get some new clothes and a new gun. And—oh, look there! Look at what Nick's writing. He's writing something in the snow with a stick right beside my valentine."

Everybody looked and this is what Nick had written to Jack Frost:

"J is for jealous as well as for Jack.
A is for Aroie—you soon must go back.
C is for 'climate'—you can't stay here long.
K is for kicking—your usual song.
F is for freezing, it soon will be over.
R is for roses and daisies and flowers.
I is for orchid, 'twill soon be in bloom.
S is for snow which will all be gone soon.
T is for turn which everybody must take, and it will soon be yours to go back to Blister Guss Land where you belong!"

(To be continued)
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EYES OF MEDICAL WORLD ARE ON BANTING, DISCOVERER OF INSULIN

THE world of medicine has its eyes on extract which, injected subcutaneously, gives the amazing recovery of the most effective antidote for diabetes yet known.



Through his theory was there a new one. Dr. Banting's methods were his own, and it was upon himself, to make absolutely certain that the supposed antidote he had discovered would not kill, that "Insulin" was tried first. He lived, and with-out a thought of immediately the result of his labors to the world, others of millions have poured in upon him, but he has rejected them all for a \$2000 position as clinical supervisor of the diabetic ward of Toronto Hospital.

Dr. Banting is 33 years old. In the world he rose from the ranks to a captaincy and was wounded seriously at Cambrai. Back in Canada, he accepted the post of assistant in physiology in Western University, at London, Ont.

Diagnosing, as he does, any share of credit for the discovery of "Insulin," an achievement for which he gives sole honor to his pupil, Dr. Banting, Professor MacLeod's support of the former's efforts has been of incalculable value.

HAS FULL BENCH
WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The supreme court today had a full bench for the first time this term.

The oath of office was administered to Associate Justice Sanford of Tennessee and he immediately took place as Justice Pitney's successor. Ill health has kept Pitney off the bench all this term.

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BEST WATER
PIPE LINE LAID

Cast Iron Pipe Being
Put Down

Work of laying the largest cast iron pipe in this section of the country, measuring 48 inches interior diameter, is being carried on between the water reservoir of the Gulf Refining Company into the main plant, a distance of over a mile, officials at the refinery reported Saturday.

The pipe is being laid in a trench, and the joints in the 48-inch line are being increased another 1/2 inch. It is reported that the line will be completed in a few days, and the completion of this line will supply into the main plant, which is now in use for bringing the water supply from 13 to 25 inches, and be done away with.

Summer School at
University Bettered

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 19.—Efforts being made to use the University of Texas summer school of 1933-34 in every respect to any summer session of past years, according to Dr. Frederick Eby, dean of the summer school. Many additional courses will be offered the teachers of the state this summer, and plans are now under way to bring to the university the summer school classes some of the best men and women in educational work.

The demonstration work has been planned to give the teachers of the state an exhibition of the best methods of teaching. The work has been conducted for the last two summers, but will be greatly expanded this year.

A kindergarten will be one of the innovations, under the direction of Miss Helena Wilson, kindergarten supervisor of Houston. It will be the first opportunity offered by the state for kindergarten teachers of the south-

west to learn of the newest developments in their field of work.

Miss Nina Glass of Waco with two assistants will teach methods of primary classes and elementary and summer school work. The principal of the demonstration school will be A. Gullett of Austin. Considerable attention will be given this year to seventh grade and junior high school methods. The work will offer credit to the teachers observing and studying it.

There will be more special courses for teachers than has ever been attempted previously by the university, according to Dr. Eby. Special methods courses will be offered in public school music, drawing, reading, health education, rural teaching and manual training. In high school work, courses in English, French, Spanish, Latin, home economics, manual training and other subjects.

CARD OF THANKS

To Our Kind Friends
We take this occasion and mean to thank our many friends, and especially the F. O. E., for their many kindnesses, their help, their loving sympathy and beautiful flowers occasioned by the sad and sudden death of our beloved companion, mother and sister, Mrs. Jessie Dickason May, who passed away in the abundance of God's tender mercy and goodness, to remember each of you when the hand of death stretches its pall and looms over your homes and lives.

In great sorrow, we are—
C. Dickason Bennie B. Bolton, Mrs. N. J. Hobert and husband, Mrs. Nettie Davis and husband, Mrs. C. M. Barnes, a sister.

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WOMEN FACE NOOSE: Executive Action Alone
Can Save Condemned Pair in Canada

By NEA Service
EDMONTON, Alberta, Feb. 19.—

This province within a few months may see two women strangled to death by an official noose to atone for murders of which they have been convicted.

Only executive clemency now can stay the hand of the hangman reaching forth for the lives of Mrs. Florence Lassandra and Mrs. Irene May Christensen, both imprisoned in Fort Saskatchewan jail under sentence of death.

Mrs. Lassandra, found guilty of participation in the slaying of a constable, is scheduled to mount the gallows Feb. 21.

April 4 has been set as the execution date of Mrs. Christensen, convicted of shooting her husband to death.

Public Interest Keen
Will executive clemency intervene? That question is on all lips in northern Alberta. People are recalling that only four women have been hanged in the Dominion since its confederation.

In that time 21 women, not including the present two cases, have been found guilty of first degree murder. Executive clemency has brought about commutation of sentence for 17.

The fact that Mrs. Lassandra aided in the killing of an officer of the crown, it is argued, may be a powerful factor against the granting of clemency to her.

She, together with Emilio Picarello, known as the "king of bootleggers," slew Constable Steve O. Lawson at Burnham last fall while Lawson was engaged in his official duty of suppressing illicit liquor traffic.

trial evidence proved
Mrs. Lassandra and Picarello were found guilty of the slaying but evidence introduced seemed to prove the woman had fired the death shot with her own hand.

Other Case Simpler
The case of Mrs. Christensen is more commonplace and Albertans agree her chances for leniency are greater.

She testified at her trial she had shot her husband during a struggle for the possession of a revolver with

which she claimed she had menaced her.

But other evidence which gained belief by the jury proved Mrs. Christensen had bought cartridges before slaying—which took place at Dap, Alberta—and that afterward she had fled to Edmonton.

This evidence was deemed sufficient to convict her of first degree murder.

All this is being reviewed wherever people congregate in Alberta. Meanwhile the execution days grow daily nearer and public interest in the condemned pair grows daily tamer.

Big Order of Baby
CHICKS ARE LOADED
LOCKHART, Texas, Feb. 19.—

Wilson & Mohle, who make a specialty of shipping baby chicks, state that they will begin shipping within the next ten days and that they have orders for about 9,000 chicks. The incubators are all loaded to supply the ever increasing number of chicken growers. There are shipped from Lockhart about 20,000 baby chicks each year, and the demand is strong this year.

NEFF COUNTY NEXT
AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 19.—On next Tuesday night the house and senate committees on counties and county boundaries will hold a joint session to consider the bills to create the new county of Neff out of parts of Limestone, Freestone, Navarro and Hill. If the county is created Wortham would probably be the county seat.

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Incendiariism
ON INCREASE
State Fire Losses Are Showing
Rise
AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 19.—Incendiariism is on the increase in Texas, according to the January report of State Fire Marshal George T. Tuley, on fire losses, and the report also shows that a bad start has been made for the year 1933, with indications that losses will be as heavy as in previous years.

Fifteen cases of incendiary fires were reported to the fire marshal in January, with an aggregate insurance loss of \$25,000. A total of 176 fires were reported, with a total loss of \$450,320 and these do not include reports from several of the larger cities and a number of the smaller towns and rural districts.

Fifty fires of unknown origin were reported, with total insurance loss of \$235,578.

BURGLARS RAID P. O.
YOKUM, Texas, Feb. 19.—Burglars blew open the postoffice safe at Street House near here for the third time in the past two years. They failed to get any money, which was in the lower part of the safe, but took five gold watches, valued at \$150. No arrests have been made.

100,000 ON STRIKE
PAIRIS, Feb. 19.—One hundred thousand French and Belgian coal miners are now on strike, according to a statement issued today by striking headquarters.

Cities Get Credits
On Insurance Rate
AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 19.—The Texas state fire insurance commission announced its first fire record credits for the year beginning March 1, with a number of others to follow in the near future. In the first announcements only two of the larger towns are included: Austin and Waco, both receiving the maximum allowance of 15 per cent off the schedule, while 6 per cent was allowed: Bay City and Denton. The following towns received 9 per cent credit: Bowie, Cleburne, Madisonville, Mercedes, Palacios.

Towns receiving 12 per cent are as follows: Baird, Burnet, Campbell, Crowell, Nordheim, McAllen. The towns receiving the maximum allowance of 15 per cent are as follows: Austin, Aransas Pass, Aspermont, Atlanta, Alvord, Angleton, Bardwell, Bastrop, Bloomington, Burleson, Bridgeport, Canyon, Carrizo Springs, Cross Plains, Colorado, Center, Del Rio, Eagle Lake, Eagle Pass, Edgewood, Flatonia, Freeport, Fort Stockton, Groesbeck, Gatesville, Hallettsville, Henrietta, Hutto, Honey Grove, Henderson, Kaufman, Kerrville, Kosse, Lexington, Lubbock, Livingston, New Braunfels, Nacogdoches, Orange and Waco.

NEFF PASSES
SCHOOL FUNDS
None of Money to Go for
Teachers' Increase
AUSTIN, Feb. 19.—Representative Nelson's bill appropriating \$3,000,000 to supplement the available school fund for the scholastic year which ends August 31, 1933, to be used for the purpose of increasing the scholastic per capita from \$10 to \$13 for extending the school terms was signed and filed by Governor Neff late today. This was the first bill to be introduced in the house of the present legislature. It carries the emergency clause and became effective after it was filed by the governor.

An amendment inserted in the bill by the senate provides that no part of the appropriation shall be used to pay increases in salaries.

Including the \$3,000,000 carried in the bill signed today the government to date has approved bills appropriating a total of \$5,081,000. The other bills are: Texas Technological College, \$1,002,500; general deficiencies, \$425,500; citrus experimental station, \$50,000; topographic surveys of rivers and streams, \$900,000.

It may take all kinds of people to make a world, but any of some kinds seems entirely too many.

BANK BILL TO CONFERENCE
AUSTIN, Feb. 19.—The senate today declined to concur in house amendments to the bill basing capital stock of state banks on population of cities or towns where located. The bill will be sent to a free conference committee. Senate members of the committee appointed are: Holbrook, Witt, Rogers, Bowers and Wirtz.

DALLAS COURT BILL PASSED
AUSTIN, Feb. 19.—Senator Davis' bill creating for Dallas county one additional permanent district court and one temporary district court to last until July 1, 1934, was given final passage by unanimous vote in the senate this afternoon.

Tennessee hunter claims he strangled a wild cat. Even if he had, no one would have believed him.

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LE EXPERT TO ADDRESS CLUBS

Union of Churches to Social Welfare Theme

Union of the churches to social service will be brought before the public in the city today by Dr. Arthur E. Holt, University lecturer, and another of national reputation.

The announcement today of Nicks, official in the Trades Labor Council, and Rev. W. L. Smith, pastor of the First Baptist church and president of the Arthur Social Welfare Council, is in part on the program out for the speakers during their stay in this city.

Two addresses Wednesday afternoon will be completed. Holt to address the members of the Citizens, Lions and Rotary in their joint luncheon meeting at the Plaza Hotel at noon Wednesday.

Caughman said and at 8 o'clock the speakers will be heard by the Arthur Trades and Labor Union and the Refinery Workers' No. 23, in Carpenter's Hall.

Dr. Holt will accompany him to Arthur will be made before his arrival. He will be accompanied by his wife and daughter, who will be with him during his stay in this city.

Dr. Holt will be in the city for a week, during which time he will be giving lectures at the Plaza Hotel, and at the same time will be giving lectures at the Plaza Hotel, and at the same time will be giving lectures at the Plaza Hotel.

BIGGER BARGAINS!

Tuesday at the Help Your Self Store

The store that made a big hit the first day. The store that has succeeded in wiping out the retail charges that make prices high. Come here and wait on yourself and save the clerk's salary. Save the bookkeeper's salary. Pay the lowest price with no extras attached. Dry goods, shoes, tinware, groceries, furnishings for the entire family.

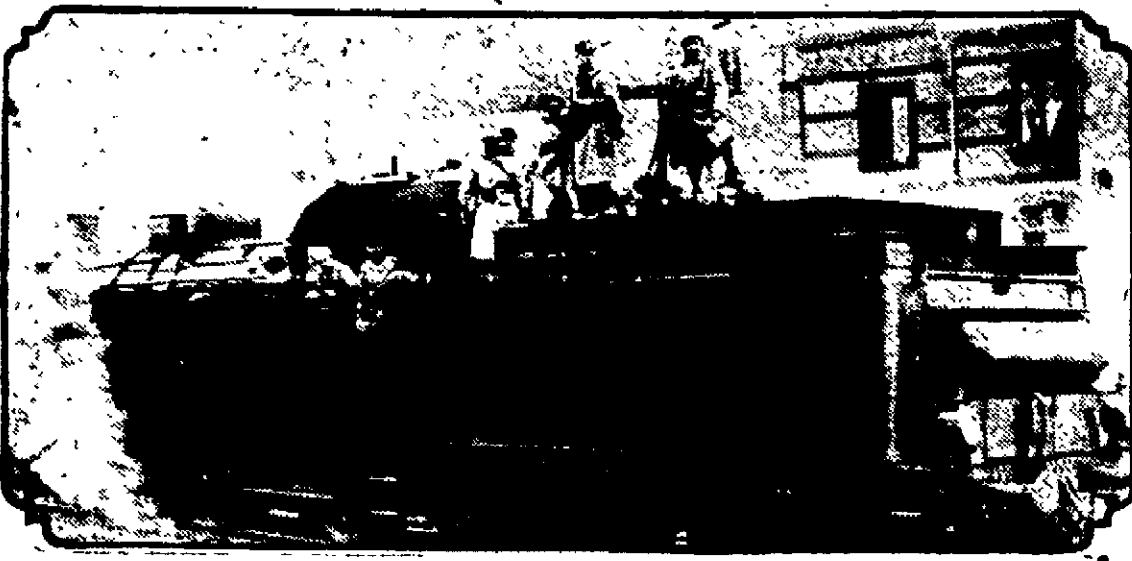
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25c Huck Towels large size, red border, extra special	14c		
\$1.75 Khaki Pants men's good grade khaki pants for	\$1.39		
Rubber Boots best quality black rubber boots for men	\$3.48		
Knee Pants Boys' knee pants, all sizes, special	49c		
Army Wool Shirts All wool U. S. army shirts, khaki, double pockets	\$2.48		
Men's Shoes Big assortment of dress shoes, all styles	\$2.98		
Ladies' Hats Spring hats, \$3.50 to \$5 straw and novelty hats two prices, \$2.95 and	\$1.95		
Ladies' Oxfords Brown and black ox- fords, military heels	\$2.95		
Infant's Shoes			
50c Lippincott's Preserves, qt. jar			
Tall "Nile" bread Salmon, special			

23c 33c 13c 3c

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French Soldiers Run German Trains



This shows engineers of the French Army manning a German locomotive after German trainmen in the Ruhr refused to continue working when the French invaded the territory.

LABOR LEADER KILLED IN FEUD

(Continued From Page 1)

As the Kellehers passed McCarthy's table, Mrs. Kelleher said:

"You bet I will take care of that double crosser," Kelleher yelled, pulling out his revolver and firing two shots.

One of them is believed to have struck Mrs. Golden, dancing with her husband.

Mad Rush For The Door

There was a rush of silk as the Kellehers rushed for the door. A woman screamed and fainted.

McCarthy pulled free from Kelleher's grasp and fled from the room. He was followed by a mob of men.

McCarthy walked out the door but was arrested before he had gone a block.

Patrol wagons backed up to the doors of Kearney's and most of those who are the shooting were taken to headquarters for questioning.

CARETAKERS WIN NICHE IN HALL

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ward. As the door told the man he had to go, he turned back and looked at the caretakers.

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U. S. Loses in Defunct Oklahoma Bank Case

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The federal government brought the case to the court to recover funds it had deposited for Indians.

The state of Oklahoma opposed the government on the ground that all depositors were to be paid alike from the state guaranty fund.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

BEAM MOUNT, Texas, Feb. 12.—The following marriage licenses were issued here today:

Theodore T. Tanner to Annie Flanagan.

E. C. Whitley to Elizabeth McGraw.

W. E. Watts, Jr., to Irene D. Wade.

R. G. Foster to Lora Fears.

William Noah Egan to Edith Elcanor Baragaves.

Gus Jackson to Ida McZeke.

Sam King to Maggie Young.

George Wellington to Julia Bates.

Alfred Babs to Ola Lewis.

Arthur Bragg to Florence Doucette.

Alex Bernard to Lizzy Robinson.

Rufus Burleson to Cora Senle.

CUSTOMS SEIZE OIL ON NORWEGIAN STEAMSHIP

Seizure of about 22 pounds of a Mexican weed, stramonium, similar to opium, and five quarts of liquor aboard the Norwegian steamship Scandi, was reported by customs officials this afternoon.

The seizure of the weed and liquor was made during the inspection of the ship by inspectors of Customs, Milton R. Lambley, R. E. Shonaker and David H. Clarke before noon today.

COTTON GROWERS MEET TO PLAN WEEVIL FIGHT

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 12.—The National Cotton conference met here today to formulate plans for a concerted fight on the South's greatest common enemy—the boll weevil.

Dr. Miller Reese Hutchinson, noted scientist and formerly associated with Thomas A. Edison, will have charge of the two-day campaign.

FAD-WOMAN MATCHES GOWN WITH CIGARETTES

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Gowns to match her cigarettes is the latest fad of the idle-rich in New York.

Some of the fair ones change their gown colors and some the cigarette colors, but the dictum is that they must match.

Some of them buy cigarettes and gowns at the same time and "try" both on, to be sure of perfect harmony.

SECOND TRIAL BEGINS

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Feb. 12.—Henry John Toussaint, civil engineer, Harvard graduate and world war veteran, was to go on trial here today for the second time for the murder of his father, O. S. Toussaint, former Washington, D. C., hotel proprietor.

SUITS FILED

BEAM MOUNT, Feb. 12.—The following suits were filed here today:

Mandy Smith vs. Jerry Smith, divorce.

Adams Adams vs. Texas Indemnity company, to set aside award of industrial accident board.

Mary Arthur vs. Joe Arthur, divorce.

FARM BLOC WOULD FORCE CREDIT ACTION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—A "round robin" to force action on the whole program of farm credits legislation before this congress dies, was being circulated in the house today by Representative Dowell of Iowa.

DUKE OF YORK TO BE SOUTH AFRICAN HEAD

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Duke of York will succeed Prince Arthur of Connaught as governor-general of South Africa, according to reports here today.

Prince Arthur's term expires next October.

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History Compulsory In Nebraska Schools

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 12.—All public, private and denominational schools of Nebraska will be required to give instruction in American history to the extent of five hours per week in the first eight grades, under the terms of a bill introduced in the lower branch of the Nebraska legislature.

Above the eighth grade and up to the twelfth, a course of five and one-half hours per week is required in American history and the system of national, state and local government.

"Preparation for citizenship is declared to be the primary object of this legislation. The state, county and city superintendents are charged with the duty of seeing that it is carried out, and any superintendent who fails to do so will be subject to removal from office by order from the district court, while a teacher who does not comply may have her license revoked."

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OFFICER PLEADS HIS INNOCENCE

Army Captain Denies Murder of Fritz Mann

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 12.—Dr. Louis D. Jacobs, captain in the public health service, today entered a plea of not guilty to the charge of having murdered Fritz Mann, dancer.

He was arraigned before Superior Judge S. M. Marsh on a grand jury indictment charging him with responsibility for the death of the girl, whose half clad body was found on the beach near Torrey Pines several weeks ago.

Dr. Jacobs showed no signs of nervousness as he heard the indictment, read.

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Never mind how often you have tried and failed, you can stop burning, itching Eczema quickly by applying Zemo furnished by any druggist for 35c. Extra large bottle, \$1.00. Healing begins the moment Zemo is applied. In a short time usually every trace of Eczema, Tetter, Pimples, Rash, Blackheads and similar skin diseases will be removed.

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FRANCIS BABE BURIED FROM HOME SUNDAY

Funeral services for Muri Francis, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Francis, 926 Nineteenth street, were conducted Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the family residence.

Rev. C. W. Culp, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. Burial was made in City Cemetery under the direction of J. E. Grammer, undertaker.

Bats, to avoid collisions with obstacles when flying, emit a vibratory note, inaudible to human ears, which reacts on meeting an obstruction, warning the bat to turn out.

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REASON WHY?

More democrats than republicans have been appointed postmasters in many of the Southern states during the last two years. There is a reason for it. There are many communities where all the white voters are democrats and it is necessary for a postmaster to be able to read and write.

A GLORIOUS RECORD

President Harding uttered a solemn as well as a living truth when he declared the people of the South in accomplishing the reconstruction of the South after the civil war set the finest example that could be urged upon war wasted world today. Incidentally it should be permissible to say that the people of the South were called upon to dig their way out and they did not ask the world to either feed or finance them.

JUDICIAL REFORM

Texas has ninety-six district courts with others on the way. Representative Quinn of Jefferson county, before the organization of the 35th legislature, promised to introduce a bill, providing that a district judge should work eight hours a day for eight hours pay. It did not appeal to his colleagues and then Quinn throttled his laudable intention.

SENT TO THE MORGUE

State Senator Edgar Witt of Waco introduced a bill in the upper house of the Texas legislature providing that the court of criminal appeals shall not reverse any verdict because of error unless the error be such as to affect the substantial rights of the defendant. Senator Witt's bill was passed by the senate and then sent to the house. House judiciary committee let out its life blood. What was the provocation?

WHO ARE THE CLOSEST?

Bexar and Dallas boast of two of the largest cities of the state and a greater number of people than any other four counties combined. Representative Henry Sackett of Coleman county aroused the ire of the officers of Bexar and Dallas counties by introducing a bill to provide that taxes may be paid in quarterly installments. Who are the masters? The tax payers or the county officials? Who are the closest to the people? The lawmakers or the county tax collectors?

A New Jersey dog valued at \$20,000 was poisoned by an unknown person. A nut must have made the valuation.

PASSED ZERO

Cold weather in the wheat producing sections of America has boosted the price of the stuff from which the staff of life is made. Now, when warm weather comes will the heat cause a slump in the price of wheat? It appears that the old dogma of supply and demand has ceased to exist when it comes to fixing the price of the staple products of the world.

A Chicago millionaire had 1500 cases of whiskey valued at \$185,000 stolen from his warehouse. Federal prohibition officers have investigated, declared that nothing to show how the liquor had been taken from the building could be found. Then they are punk trail finders.

WHERE'S THE DONK RIDER?

A year ago 17 employees of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing were summarily dismissed by their chief who had been recently appointed. They appealed to the president. He has restored their civil service status and exonerated the victims of a small political boss. President Harding in his early youth was a printer and is an honorary member of the International Typographical Union. Also he will be a candidate for re-election in 1924. All republican opposition to his renomination has been quieted. Senator Eli Johnson of California has been muffled but not muzzled. Now who are the democrats going to pick?

As they were unable to rule the Irish free state, the De Valera anarchists are bent upon its destruction. President Cosgrave should strike with an iron hand. There is only one way to rid Ireland of mad anarchists.

DUE TO STARVE

More than 8,000,000 Russians will have to be fed this year or they will starve. This is the announcement made by the American commission on Russian relief. Russians were starving four centuries ago when Peter the Great began to place the mud sills of an empire. Russians here starved all down the corridors of time. Russians will be starving a thousand years hence. They are very much like the Chinese. There has never been an age or a year in the history of China that famine did not fill the grave yard.

Texas has 8,713 dogs having an assessed value of \$406,70. Dogs appear to be a drug on the market in Texas.

Texas has 14,986 steam engines and boilers. They consume gas. There is money in oil.

Only the newest dictionaries define an embassy as an oasis.

Courtesy: The art of making the other fellow feel more important than you.

A wife is a person who meant to sew that button on yesterday and forgot it today.

When people tell you you are looking well, they always mean well preserved.

A hick town is a place where very little is required to arouse suspicion.

So far Japan has been too polite to ask France when she expects to get out of the Ruhr.

The boy who quits the farm, may not get up in the world, but he gets up about three hours later in the morning.

Most of the horn blowing is done by those unaccustomed to driving and those unaccustomed to success.

Intuition is the quality that enables a woman to win the argument without bothering with facts.

Correct this sentence: "The five-ton truck took to the ditch and gave the jitney right-of-way."

If you can't be rich, or famous, or beautiful, you can get the same superior feeling by being good.

France can't afford to reduce the indemnity charge now. It will cost her that much to collect it.

The One-Man Woman DO WOMEN LOVE?

By Ruth Agnes Ebeling

"I'd like to have proof that it isn't," sneered Latham. "But this isn't an age of miracles—particularly where women are concerned." "Women," he went on, "never have been so generally commonplace as they are today, and so ready to come down to man's standard of living. If you don't believe what I've said in regard to Alice why don't you prove or disprove it?" "Prove it," Kate echoed.

"Certainly," with an eager laugh. "When we finish dinner we'll drive around there—you wait while I go in. If she's about, so that I can begin a casual conversation with her, my car is yours if she doesn't go out with me, in spite of the fact that she knows about the man at the morgue."

"What is wrong with your car?" Kate smiled. "You seem anxious to give it away."

"On the contrary, I need it. Couldn't get along without it at this particular time—but I'm sure of my ground."

"You make me wonder if this hasn't been pre-arranged. You're too sure of yourself for my peace of mind," Kate looked at him questioningly, "but I'll go with you regardless of how rotten a trick I think it is."

"And," Kate continued lightly, "I'm going chiefly because I know you will fail."

"I won't," dryly.

"They finished dinner in silence. Every now and then Kate glanced at the man across from her. Latham was attractive. He must have had much experience with women of the finest type. A man of his sort would have. Was his judgment of them reliable, then? Were they becoming too much like men?"

Kate recalled among the women she knew those distinctly feminine and those who attempted a masculine line attitude. She remembered how they heard a waiting sound, high and had been inclined to smile as she pitched, plaintive, weird. There were



THEY HEARD A HIGH-PITCHED, WAILING SOUND.

matched the ill-fitting, man-copied mannerisms of the latter group. They hadn't attracted her. They had amused her as might a child, playing at grown-up.

Perhaps James Latham was right. Perhaps women were sacrificing a lot of charm for a little freedom and naturally they were changing at heart because Kate knew, all too well, how her own moods changed with the clothes she wore.

"We're off," said Latham, as they got into the car.

"Yes," pensively.

The distance to Sing Loy's laundress was covered soon. As they pulled up in front of the low structure, she attended. She remembered how they heard a waiting sound, high and had been inclined to smile as she pitched, plaintive, weird. There were

no lights in the front room. But in the reflected glow from the back, hurrying figures were visible.
(To be continued)
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Food Costs Lower in January, But 47 P. C. Higher Than in 1913

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The retail cost of food decreased one per cent in January as compared with December, the labor department estimated today.

Increases were noted in 18 articles and decreases in 16, with the price of ten unchanged.

Despite the recent decreases the cost to the average family was two per cent more in January this year than in January last year. Food costs are still 47 per cent higher than in 1913.

TALL TIMBERS GET NEW UNIFORMED COPS

QUEBEC, Quebec, Feb. 19.—A trained and uniformed body of permanent forestry police, organized on semi-military lines and invested with wide powers in the land of the tall timber, is the innovation now being considered in a tentative way by the Quebec Forestry Association.

Next to keeping a good man down the damndest thing to do is to keep a bad one up.

Charges Bribe



Declaring she was offered a \$25,000 bribe to go to Washington as lobbyist for "a certain bill," Mrs. T. G. Winter, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, has stated she will produce a letter offering the bribe "when it becomes necessary."

The most slushy thing about show is the poetry it inspires. If there were no movies, where would people go to talk?

TOM SIMS SAYS

We sent our soldiers to Germany and they got married so let's don't ever fight China or Japan.

The world gets faster. A man can get married in two minutes or drink himself to death in one.

First saxophone was made in 1846 and the evil hasn't been stopped yet.

Entirely too many people try to get the upper hand by dealing from the bottom.

"Stay at home with your cold," advises a doctor. It would be nicer if you could leave it there alone.

Home grown things usually seem the best, especially home grown girls.

Wearing old clothes is all right if you know you don't have to.

Thinking you are sick tells on you quicker than a small brother.

One way to beat the income tax is to buy oil stock.

Spring will be here in a few weeks if some reformer doesn't object.

Next year is leap year, but every year is leap year for pedestrians.

A baby with a rich uncle is always easy to name.

Legislative Action on P. A. Court Bill Soon

Action is expected soon on the Port Arthur court bill, one of the 300 measures reported in committee room.

The bill, which would create a court here with jurisdiction equal to the county court at law, must be acted upon by March 9 or March 11. One of these dates will be decided upon for adjournment.

As now before the legislature, the bill provides for the appointment of a judge by election. When originally drawn the judge was to have been appointed.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY
Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.—2 Tim. 2:15.
The pleasure a man of honor enjoys in the consciousness of having performed his duty is a reward he can savor for all his pains.—La Bruyere.

A man who means well doesn't always keep within his means.

A dream is a nightmare when you have your hair rolled up.

The best way to feel at home is to stay there.

If we could only leave the income tax blank that way.

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New Spring MILLINERY

Children's Madge Evans Spring Hats

If you want a hat that will give individuality to daughter, something different, see these at \$3.50 up.

The beautiful McRoy hats are here—in all their glowing beauty—in all their characteristic charm. To the particular dresser nothing is so important as choosing the right hat and in McRoy hats you find the problem solved—with an endless array of new creations in new shades, new styles and trims.

Silk Hats for early Spring wear are being offered at low prices.

Our Cotton Goods Priced at 5c Yard Less Than You Will Be Able to Buy it. You Save Here

Mothers will be glad to know that

Tom Sawyer

Blouses, shirts, play suits and wash suits are here. Tom-Sawyer garments wear, they're made right.

Unionalls

Lee's unionalls for children are here at the right prices. Blue or khaki.

Ladies' and Children's New Spring

SHOES

All the new styles in straps and colonials, any sort of heel you want—high, medium low, high or Juno.

In satins, patents, black and brown kids.

Buy them here and—

Save 50c to \$1.00 Pair

Paisley Cantons

\$3.50

The new silk and at low price, Paisley effects in canton crepes, all colors, 40 inch.

Crepe de Chine

\$2.98

Paisley and printed crepe de Chines, 40 inches wide, all colors.

Satin Canton

\$3.50

Satin back canton crepe in colors, 40 inches wide.

Canton Crepe

\$3.50

All desired shades in 40 inch best quality Canton crepe.

Crepe de Chine

\$1.89

All the new shades, 40 inch crepe de Chine, special \$1.89.

To \$16.50 Winter Dresses

The new Spring dresses are so different in every way that you'll want one right away when you see these.

Taffetas, Canton Crepes, Flat Crepes and crepe de Chines in all colors, elaborately trimmed. Priced as low as we can make them.

\$4.98

New Spring Dresses

\$12.95 \$19.50 \$22.50

Remaining stock of winter dresses, including \$16.50 models to be sold at \$19.50 while they last. Tulle, point tulle and French serges. All other winter garments sold below cost.

SUITS

New arrivals in spring suits are priced

Tweeds, point tulle, tricotines—such are the fabrics for Spring and shades of brown, grey, sand, Capria, Copen and navy. Bloused jackets. Come and see them.

\$18.50 \$22.50

\$24.50 and up to \$65.00

CAPESES

The new capes and wraps in tweeds and velours offer a choice of colors and styles such as one seldom finds at these low prices.

\$12.95 \$22.50

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Where the Customer is Always Right

SPRING HATS

The leading designers all contribute to our showing of exquisite models for spring, all colors, all styles.

Priced Special

\$3.98 \$4.98 \$5.98

Friedman is noted for selling the newest style hats at very close prices right at the start of the season. If you'll inspect our large selections, we're sure you'll find a hat that will please you at these low prices.

New Footwear Specially Priced

Friedman's shoe department is always busy. Why? Just because the prices are so reasonable and the styles the very latest.

Try us this time.

Combination Sport Oxfords \$4.48

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COLONIAL RECEPTION AT BLEDSOE HOME MARKS FIRST STEPS FOR NEW DEPARTMENT CLUB HOUSE

THE DEPARTMENT CLUB, Port Arthur's largest women's organization composed of the Women's Self Improvement Club, the Reading Club, the Symphony Club, the Young Women's Culture Club, the Civic Club, and the Council of Jewish Women, has taken its latest progressive step in preparing to establish its own clubrooms, homelike and dignified, where members may gather for tea, reading and all the various uses of a clubhouse.

A concerted effort of all the clubs to raise funds for the club building, which is being held at the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Bledsoe on Lake Shore drive, from 3 to 5:30 o'clock. The reception is being given in the form of a silver tea.

For several weeks the ways and means committee of the club has been working to complete plans for the building, which have been adopted by the club. The club house will be situated in the 1900 block on Lake Shore drive. Each detail has been considered with utmost care, and the result promises to be a building in perfect taste.

In establishing the club house, made necessary by the destruction by fire of the former club rooms, the club has an mind the traditions of the original club founded by women who stood for the highest and most progressive ideals of their day. Twenty-five years ago, Mrs. W. P. Park, prominent in both club and social circles today, gathered the mere handful of women comprising Port Arthur's feminine population in those days, at her home for a social gathering. This was the first step toward organizing the Women's Self Improvement Club, Port Arthur's pioneer club.

In broadening the Department Club to meet the needs of today the members feel that they are still guided by the spirit of its first sponsors. The present arrangement, when completed, makes for a wider and more friendly use of the club, will bring its members more closely in contact, and give them added privileges. In addition it will make large use of the club for other organizations, for which it will be opened for entertainments and social functions.

Interesting indeed to the club women of the city is the history of the organization at the W. S. I. Club, which was established at the same time that the Wednesday Whist Club was organized at the old Sabine Hotel. Mrs. Park, who preferred to devote her energies and interests to a literary club, did not become a member of the whist club, which during Port Arthur's earlier days, was the only club of its kind. It still holds the honor of being the oldest whist club in the city.

When organized, the W. S. I. Club had only nine members, but only one month later, the club had become the largest in the city, being Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, now president of the Port Arthur Federation of Women's Clubs.

"Our club was organized just for sociability," Mrs. Park said in reminiscing. "We had no library here, and the only way of getting information from other parts of the world was through the magazines and newspapers we received. Mrs. Murphy, the wife of the first professor in the Port Arthur school, assisted me in assembling the women. We took up current events, the happenings of those days, and studied them with keen interest. Never was a little band of women more faithful to their club work than we. We named our club the W. S. I. at our first meeting."

Mrs. Park was president of the W. S. I. Club the first three years of its organization. Since then she has almost dropped from the club work, now associating only as an honorary member. Mrs. Reynolds was the first secretary of the club. In recalling the first meetings of the W. S. I. Club, Mrs. Reynolds spoke of numerous incidents in connection with the club work. She told of the meetings at the homes of members, how the women were forced to wait in water and mud to get to the hostess's home, how the hostesses had arranged their homes for entertaining the club, and how enjoyable those first sessions were.

The Women's Self Improvement Club was federated in 1902 with the State Federation.

After the organization of the Symphony Club, the first musical club in the city, and another literary club, the Reading Club, the organization was a city federation to co-operate with each other. The Department Club of today is the outgrowth of the city federation. After the Department Club had been formed, Mrs. G. H. Eubank was elected president and served most efficiently as its first head. The organization was perfected in the summer of 1923 with a roster of fifty members. The Young Women's Culture Club and the Civic Club are two of the more recent clubs, and the Council of Jewish Women is the youngest branch of the Department Club, having become affiliated with the organization last year.

The Department Club is fairly a clearing house for all the clubs, according to Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, who declares that no club loses its individuality in belonging to the Department Club.

The Symphony Club has a membership of eighty, including the active, associate, and honorary members.

The organization was perfected at the home of Mrs. J. P. Brennan, at which time Mrs. Carl Zapf, was elected president; Mrs. L. G. Stump, vice-president; Mrs. P. G. McEwan, then Miss Gertrude Hall, secretary; and Mrs. Howard Smith, then Miss Christine Landes, treasurer.

Other members included the four officers, and Mrs. Rupert Theobald, Miss Florence Bash, Mrs. Woodwin Sr., Miss Lily Brennan, Mrs. A. Tol-

lot chocolate and cake were served after the program.

MRS. D. LEVY ENTERTAINED the Thursday Bridge Club at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Saffir, 1120 Procter street.

The reception suite was attractive, adorned with sweet peas. Besides the members of the club, two tables of additional guests enjoyed the charming hospitality. After the games, the club prize was awarded to Mrs. Loh of New York, and the guest prize was presented to Mrs. Lewis of Beaumont.

A tempting two-course luncheon was offered at the close of the games. Mrs. Levy was assisted in entertaining by her daughters, Mrs. Leon Reesenthal and Mrs. Tullie Monk of Beaumont, and Mrs. Ed Saffir.

MR. AND MRS. MAX M. MINER and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bond motor from Galveston to spend the week-end with friends in both Port Arthur and Beaumont.

AMONG THE CHARMING HOSTESSSES of the silver tea at the bridge with Mrs. Neil Miles as hostess at her home in Beaumont, guests including members of the Tuesday Night Bridge club.

The dainty motif of pink and white, selected by the hostess to feature the affair was displayed in the beautiful roses and in the bridge table appointments.

After the games the prizes for success were awarded, with Mrs. W. H. Latham receiving the first and Miss Mary McFarland capturing the second prize. A dainty refreshment service was offered by the hostess.

Players for the evening included Miss Blanche Winter of Beaumont, Miss Sadie Thompson, Miss Thelma Barnes, Miss Beatrice Halloran, Mrs. W. H. Latham, Mrs. Emma Briggs, Miss Mary McFarland, and Miss Lillian Reams of this city.

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The bride party was met, accompanied by friends and relatives from Galveston, with whom they motored to Houston and Galveston on their honeymoon.

ELABORATE PREPARATIONS are being made by the Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church to make

the "Colonial Dinner" on Thursday evening a most successful affair.

The dinner will be given at 6 o'clock at the church, following which a program will be rendered.

No meeting of the Missionary Society will be held on Thursday afternoon on account of the dinner on Thursday evening. The meeting was scheduled to be held at the home of Mrs. S. E. Schmick.

ONE OF THE PLEASING AFFAIRS of last week was given on Saturday afternoon, when Mrs. H. W. McCord entertained at the Country Club in honor of the eleventh birthday anniversary of her son, Jack McCord.

The Valentine theme received fullest recognition in the decorations of the assembly room and the dining room at the attractive club house. Festoons of hearts and Cupid emblems were arranged with pretty effect in the assembly room, where dancing and games were enjoyed during the afternoon hours from 2 to 5 o'clock.

The dining room was especially attractive, the long table being covered with the lovely birthday cake, on which glowed softly eleven red tapers. Pretty Valentines were received as favors by the little guests and delicious refreshments of ice cream, cake, and confections were served.

Enjoying this birthday celebration were little Misses Naney Henderson, Ada Dunstan, Theron McFarland, Elizabeth McFarland, Louise Lattimer, Elizabeth Lattimer, Elizabeth Lattimer, Rebecca Reed, Gladys Ann Winter, Elizabeth Lattimer, Elizabeth Lattimer, Mary Litterland, Clara Mae Richardson, Mae Frieder, Virginia Ashbire, and Bernice Stovall; Masters Herbert Henderson, Cavanaugh Dunstan, Clannett Crumpler, Jimmie Winter, Prentiss Chamberlain, Overton Able, and Jack McCord.

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DOG FISH REDUCTION PLANT IS OPENED

VICTORIA, British Columbia, Feb. 19.—A new corporation, known as the Perch Fish Products, Ltd., has lately been organized here, with the object of establishing a dogfish reduction plant at Skidgate, Queen Charlotte Islands.

Hard-Working Young Labor Leader May Jostle Sleepy Tories

LONDON, Feb. 19.—Ability to withstand fatigue may be the cause of the labor party's triumph in parliament over the Law government. Young men fresh from the exacting demands of a daily scramble for a living compose the bulk of the Labor M. P.'s.

until midnight, the threat of labor to literally out-work its enemies is not without its menace.

The house meets at 3:15 p. m. and at once embarks on a stormy hour of questions to the government. Evaded questions result in time-consuming debate. Ten hour arrives and it is neither a fad nor a formality. It is a custom.

Three hours after tea, dinner demands and gets the attention of parliament. Until around nine in the evening, the sitting of parliament has been pretty well chopped up. Labor is clamoring that M. P.'s had too soft a life. Labor leaders declare that the party will prolong every sitting of parliament into the

small hours of the morning. The matter is causing grave concern to Premier Bonar Law and his Tory allies.

Labor is young. On the opposition benches bald heads and wrinkled faces are the exception. The government side is more sedate, heavier and infinitely easier tired. They need sleep, these Tories, and Labor plans to make them forfeit a lot of it.

A typewritten petition cannot be presented in the English house of commons; it must be written.

Troslau, Silesia, possesses a compressed paper chimney, 30 feet high and said to be fireproof.

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'Old King Tut' Mystery Man

King Tutankhamen was an Egyptian King of the eighteenth dynasty. He reigned about 1350 B. C. or 3270 years ago.

His origin is doubtful. He gained the throne by marrying Princess Ank-Nes-Paten, most beautiful woman in Egypt and daughter of King Amen-Hotep IV.

The mystery of Tutankhamen's life is this: He destroyed the beautiful city of El Amarna and ordered his subjects to leave it and settle in Thebes.

El Amarna had been constructed as a perfect city of contentment by Akhnaton, an earlier king.

What Treasures Are Some of the treasures over which the dispute is waged are: Three gilt life-size images of human beings. Gilded heads of animals with eyes of jewels. Carved couches inlaid with ivory and semi-precious stones. Chests of ebony and ivory with gilt inscriptions, containing Tutankhamen's linen. Tutankhamen's state throne, encrusted with jewels. A heavy chair thickly set with turquoise, cornelian lapis and other stones. Two life-size statues of the king with gold work. Four chariots encrusted with semi-precious stones. Exquisite boxes and alabaster vases. Richly embroidered clothing of the king and queen.

The art of the ancients is exerting a new influence on the art of today.

Tutankhamen Influences FROCKS—

Not only in their style-lines, but also in color and many times in pattern, the spring frocks copy the glories of Egypt. Almost always an oriental trim is seen. Prices \$10.95 to \$69.50.

Tutankhamen Styles These SUITS—

In their straight lines as well as their colorful trimmings and linings, and their embroideries, beads and braids are shown touches of ancient glory. Three piece suits carry the oriental patterns. Prices \$29.50 to \$54.50.

Tutankhamen Designs CAPES—

Tutankhamen's Queen might have had just such gapes as those with the flowing lines, oriental designs and silk linings, fringed trimmings and flashes of color. Of silk and wool fabrics and priced \$16.95 to \$47.50.

Tutankhamen Colors in "Deauville" Bandanas

A society that France claims, but surely was inspired by the Egyptian love of colorful designing.

In Canton, crepe de Chine, satin and pique but always with intermingling colors. To be worn as a girdle or scarf. \$1.95 to \$1.95.

Tutankhamen Takes a Hand in— MILLINERY

You can imagine gold and silver embroideries designing the hat of royalty of ancient Egypt and many times the ombre shading give to these new spring hats the glories of the East.

Pai-Joy designed silks interweave a new theme of beauty in the hats of today. Priced \$1.95 and up.

Tutankhamen Inspired Sweaters

Sweaters of silk or wool carry, some conservatively, some to the extreme, the colors and designs of Egypt.

For the most part, the smart dresser of today chooses the slip-over sweater. These are priced \$2.98 to \$8.45.

Egyptian Bags

Egyptian worked leather bags in green are priced \$3.95, \$1.95 and \$5.95. Silk moire lined, finely fitted.

Egyptian Sandals—

Egyptian Sandals are strapped around ankles, black kid and patent at \$6.50, and red kid, green kid and grey suede at \$7.50. Flat heels, cut-out vamp.

Tutankhamen Speaks of BLOUSES—

Blouses of Egyptian designed minuettes and crepe de Chine are priced special at \$3.95.

Other blouses carry the oriental note into beads, braids and embroideries, artfully colored.

Paisley blouses are favored.

Tutankhamen Colors Draperies

Terry cloth at 38c yard often show oriental colors and designs, and will grace many windows this Spring.

New corduroy draperies at \$1.75 yard have a tendency toward color and striking designs.

Tapestry table runners at \$2.25 to \$1.50 offer a wide choosing in color and design.

Tutankhamen Colors Fabrics

In the 36-inch silk and cotton crepes at 80c to \$1.39 yard, we find the paisley designs in all colors.

Duynroze silk crepes at \$2.25 loudly proclaim Egyptian colors and designs. For sport wear, frocks or blouses.

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Your New Spring Shoes Are Here



The shoes that you have been reading about and thinking you would like to have for your new Spring Ensemble are here; some of which you will find described in this ad.

Black and brown one strap beautiful French crocodile satin . . . \$11.50	Plain black satin one strap pump with Junior heel . . . \$6.50
Fawn suede daintily rimmed with brown calf . . \$11	Black satin one strap junior heel, beaded throat and strap . . . \$6.50
Grey suede, small colonial tongue effect, with patent trimming, 16-8th Louis . . . \$11.00	Brown kid one strap with brown suede inlay . . . \$9.50
Beautiful grey satin with one strap and 16-8th Louis heel, one of the season's latest models . . . \$11	Sport oxfords in many styles and combination colors priced at \$6.00, \$6.50 and . . . \$7.00
Black, French model satin with small colonial tongue effect . . . \$9.50	Black calf one strap with patent leather trimming 8-8th heel . . . \$6.50
	Light weight ladies' National hiking boot, made of brown calf skin . . \$10.00

LADIES' NEW SPRING HOSE Beautiful French embroidered sheer silk hose in all the pretty new colors, priced at \$3.00 and \$2.50. The newest thing in ladies' hosiery is a new shade of gunmetal chiffon priced at \$2.50.

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HARDY TELLS OF VOTE FOR WAR

Sage of Corsicana Fell By Political Wayside

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—"Zero hour struck for me—a pacifist—when the question of war with Germany came to a vote," said Representative Rufus Hardy of Texas. That grave and solemn occasion in the house when congressmen were called upon to translate the will of the people into law—a law that meant certain death, maiming and disease to thousands, even many of their own sons—was described today for the United Press by the scholarly old Texan who voluntarily retired on March 3.

But the "Sage of Corsicana" goes back to watch the play turn his "black wax" across in Navarro county with the knowledge that, despite his conviction of the unrighteousness of wars, he did not shirk his responsibility when the test came. He told how the battle of conscience was fought and won before he stood up to be counted in the presence of his fellow members and overflowing galleries.

Born in 1855, Hardy was just old enough to have the horrors, the tragedy and the tears of the Civil War imprinted vividly on his childish memory. He grew to manhood amid the strife of reconstruction in East Texas where the last stand of the "unreconstructed rebels" was made, a thorough pacifist as a result of his experiences.

Still a Pacifist

"Instead of growing up with the customary boyish desire to be a soldier, I had no use for martial music and clanking sabers," said Hardy. "I was a pacifist and still am. I voted for war, but I was in a torment coming to the decision I knew was right."

"My vote would have made no difference in the result. War was inevitable before the house voted. President Wilson had asked for authority and the senate had already voted it. But the fact that it required more than 17 hours for the house to come to a decision shows that other men were not taking their responsibilities lightly."

"From the beginning of the war, I had opposed America going in. Just three months before, I went home and defended the president for keeping us out of war. I defended him course all through the 1916 campaign."

"In the meantime, I began to study the 'blood and iron' philosophy of Bernhard and Nietzsche and the 'Gott and me' idea of the Kaiser. Germany, with her 'might makes right' policy carried out through her murderous U-boats, threatened to tear up our commerce and it was evident she proposed to make the United States pay indemnity if she was successful in her war on Great Britain and France."

Point of Self Defense

"We had been attacked. It had come to a point of self defense. The supreme hour had struck. 'All these things revolved in my mind as the debate grew hot and furious. The house was in a state of emotion. It was nearing three o'clock in the morning, yet the galleries were packed."

"As my name was called on that eventful roll call, I confronted against all feeling, I voted for war. I did so knowing it meant the blood of thousands of our dearest sons and the expenditure of untold billions in treasure, which would place a burden of debt on our people for a hundred years. It was the biggest, bravest thing I ever did in public life and I am proud of it."

YANK AIR SERVICE AT WORK ON NEW GLIDER

DAYTON, Ohio, Feb. 19.—The United States Army Air Service, reorganizing the possibilities of motorized flying, has at last materially improved itself in the construction of gliders.

The first model is being built at McCook Field—intermediate army air station—and is test flight is proposed in the near future.

J. A. Roche, a civilian employee at McCook Field, is supervising the glider's construction. Roche has experience with gliders for a number of years. Tests of his models are declared to have been highly successful.

The model now in construction has a wing span of 20 feet. The pilot sits high in front of the center of gravity of the wing.

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Musterole relieves sore throat quickly. Made with oil of mustard, it is a clean white ointment that will not burn or blister like the old-fashioned mustard plaster.

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ARREST OF 17 MEN MAY REVEAL DEATH TRUST AT BOTTOM OF 40 MYSTERIOUS AX MURDERS

By News-REA Service

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 19.—An organized murder band whose tentacles have crushed life from scores of victims is believed by the police to have been revealed in the arrest here of 17 men and alleged confessions of some of those arrested.

Revealed as an unbreakable band which has wiped out whole clans in Italian vendettas, murder lists, secret trials, symbols of powdered hands, knifed and knife gripped between clenched teeth are but some of the dramatic features of the confessions, according to police.

More than 10 murders, dynamite, incendiary fires, and extortion will be charged against some members of the band if police are able to substantiate clues upon which they are working. Others will be charged with complicity in various of the crimes.

Named in the confessions as the "boss" was Joe Segre of Fairmont, W. Va., is alleged to have been the mastermind director. He was the brain, according to the confessions, under which the Italian colony here has lived in dread for months, not knowing where next murder would strike.

Killed Woman, Claimed

Police claim positive proof that the committed three murders which now have been labeled "murders."

One of these was the killing near Baltimore of Bella Lemon, notorious woman of the Fairmont underworld. Her gangster master, Rosario Desantis, shortly afterward was shot (REDACTED) in Chicago and \$15,000 taken.

Gold Hunters Start Digging for Riches In Pennsylvania

YARDLEY, Pa., Feb. 19.—The periodical "gold rush" is again under way here. Fifteen men have formed a company to dig for the precious metal.

Rumors have been circulating through Berks county for 25 years that there is gold in paying quantities in the vicinity of Yardley. No one searches believe they will ever find the gold.

Efforts of the gold hunters have been centered on what is known as "The Thompson Farm," two miles from Yardley, a town of 1,700. Fifteen men have formed the "Lower Mafeld Prospecting company," each investing \$100, to lease 20 acres in the vicinity of Yardley. A dollar a year and 10 per cent of the profits from the gold mines has been promised to the farm owners.

"The company will be in no way connected with the spring, which is the source of the gold, which is said to exist in the vicinity of the Thompson farm, but whether it exists in such quantities as to make it profitable to take out has not been determined. Analysis of the top soil is said to have shown free gold. The geological survey has been completed and the 'gold rush' will begin an investigation, it was reported.

BOY INJURED BY SHELL MAY RECOVER

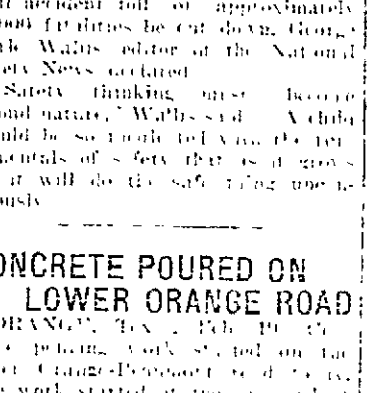
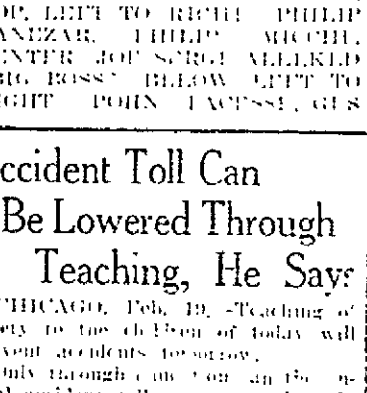
BLAIRMONT, Texas, Feb. 19.—Hope for the recovery of Harold Leigh, 16, who accidentally shot himself with an improvised "gun" Saturday, was expressed by attending physicians here today. Young Leigh was struck by the lead from a 22 rifle cartridge when he dropped the cartridge on a concrete floor, causing it to explode. Ranging up and through the boy's abdomen, the lead punctured the liver.

CONCRETE POURED ON LOWER ORANGE ROAD

ORANGE, Tex., Feb. 19.—The paving of the lower Orange road, a main thoroughfare in the city, was completed today. The work started at the intersection of the road and was completed on a stretch of 10 miles. The highway is now open to traffic, and the city is pleased with the results of the work.

Old Letter Turns Up As Divorce Basis

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—One of the most responsible for a morning's excitement, and possibly all the blessed with a divorce, came to light today when Morris Lefkowitz was ordered to give a letter that he has been keeping around since April, 1919. It was addressed to Morris's "My Darling Helen" and signed "Forever yours, Belle." Mrs. Lefkowitz's name is Marion. She sued for divorce.



from him by orders of the Mafia, the confessions are said to have stated. Besides the murders, police are working on theories that the banding of a business block in Farmington, and the dishing out of a large sum of money were the work of the band.

The confessions are said to show that bootlegging traffic was the cause of the reign of murder and violence. It is believed the gang furnished liquor to various places, and that enemies of the traffic and members of a rival whiskey-selling gang were the victims.

Old Friend

But interviewed with the most noted business was a ritual of Old Italy. In the trunk of one of the cars, the police found, among other things, a blood red velvet bag, a small box, a ring, a watch, and a knife gripped between clenched teeth.

Other confessions are said to show that the band had a plan to kill a man named John L. Smith, who was a member of the band. The plan was to kill him in a room in a hotel in New York City. The plan was to kill him in a room in a hotel in New York City.

Fear More Killings

Feeling over the arrest of the 17 men, the police are said to be in a state of alarm. They fear that the band will try to kill more people. They fear that the band will try to kill more people.

Accident Toll Can Be Lowered Through Teaching, He Says

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Teaching safety to the children of today will prevent accidents tomorrow. Only through an education in the use of the automobile can the annual accident toll of approximately 7,000 be reduced, he said. George F. Watkins, editor of the National Safety News, said.

"Safety, thinking, must become a habit," Watkins said. "A child should be so taught that the fundamentals of safety are as natural as the alphabet. It will do the safe thing and it will do it without a second thought."

GAS RATE TO "END IT ALL" POPULAR IN ENGLISH SUICIDE CLUB

LONDON, Feb. 19.—A great big "end it all" movement is in the air. It is said that in the last of the month for self-inflicted death. Two hundred and twenty-five have been found with their heads in the gas. The movement is said to be a result of the high cost of living and the unemployment problem.

Brassieres—

Of all kinds, three specials, 89c, 69c and 51c

Teddies—

Lace trimmed muslin teddies, special 89c

Gowns—

Ladies' white muslin gowns, lace trimmed 98c

Baby Sacques—

Pink and blue with white, special 69c

Rubber Pants—

Infant's rubber pants, priced special 29c

Wash Cloths—

Three special prices, 12c, 8c and 4c

Huck Towels—

15x21 Huck face towels, special 13c

Huck Towels—

15x30 good quality huck face towels 19c

Bath Towels—

19x31 unbleached Turkish bath towels 38c

Bath Towels—

20x40 bleached Turkish bath towels 41c

Petticoats—

Muslin and colored sateen petticoats, \$1.29 and 89c

New Waists—

Ladies' white voile waists special \$1.19

Children's Dresses—

Gingham school dresses, all sizes, special at \$1.39

Work Shirts—

Men's blue work shirts, priced special 89c

Hosiery—

Ladies' cotton hose, black, white and brown 13c

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Bargains. Bargains every day with something extra special for Pay Days. Don't forget to shop at Blanche's every day you're down town. TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

You're certain to find many little articles you need about home at Blanche's. If it's not advertised here special—you'll find it at the store.

Hosiery—

Ladies' silk hose, black and white, special 89c

Hosiery—

Children's school hose, black, white and brown 43c

Hosiery—

Ladies' school hose, black, white and brown 29c

Union Suits—

Men's union suits, special 98c

Men's Socks—

Men's socks in popular colors, pair 10c

Men's Socks—

Men's mercedized socks, popular colors 19c

Knit Ties—

Men's silk knit ties, black and tan 59c

Underwear—

Ladies' spring weight knit vests and pants, garment 42c, 22c and 19c

White Shirts—

Men's white shirts, with collar, 10c

Khaki Shirts—

Men's khaki shirts, with collar, 10c

Bicomers—

Misses' and children's black sateen bloomers, 69c and 23c

5c 10c 25c

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To get new customers and that is by giving some inducement to come to our store. We realize this fact; hence this great sale. We are offering good merchandise at 25 to 50c on the dollar in order for you to want to visit our store.

SOCIAL CENTER FOR YOUNG FOLK

Mayor Logan Urges Need Before Endeavorers

Emphasizing the social betterment of Port Arthur Mayor Logan in addressing the Christian Endeavorers at the First Christian church last evening told how he would spend \$50,000 in improving the community—and if he had it.

The first phase touched upon by Mayor Logan in his address was the establishment of a social center at a Y. M. C. A. or a Y. W. C. A., where, he said, young men and young women could receive the attention which had been neglected in their early years.

"I believe, however, that the first thing it should do would be to call in a committee to advise in spending the money," he declared. "It is not wise to take one man's ideas in spending such a large sum of money."

Proper Early Environment
"Another thing would be to give the community better police protection. I would have more officers on the force so that the town could be properly patrolled. But what's the use of arresting these people over and over again? We ought to start with the boys and girls and give them the proper environment when they are young, then we would not have to worry about the tougher element when they get older."

A vivid picture was drawn by the mayor in his description of the girls and women brought before court each day. A home for girls was advocated by the speaker.

Red Cross Enlarged
The Red Cross and its aid to a community were spoken of in glowing terms by the mayor, as well as several examples of the Red Cross work among the underprivileged of the city. The Lions Club was praised for its establishment of the Lions Park, an invaluable asset to Port Arthur.

"Legislation cannot make a good man," declared the speaker in concluding. "From his youth he must be taught the idea of Christian citizenship. Our mind has been on the material things in Port Arthur. It should be more evenly divided. Port Arthur's reputation can be redeemed or rather it can be made, if bodies like the Endeavorers and like the Lions Club and other civic organizations function along lines that make for the social betterment of the community."

Denies Charges



After John Edgar Hoover, chief of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, charged in a Chicago hearing that many of the Red Cross workers were "bad apples," William J. Burns, (shown above) head of the Bureau of Investigation and chief of the Bureau of Investigation, U. S. department of justice.

Burns function along lines that make for the social betterment of the community.

CULBERSON TO HAVE NEW TRIAL AT THE NEXT TERM

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Feb. 19.—Mayor W. L. Culberson, under indictment charging him with the murder of Alvin Karpis, was today ordered to have a new trial following dismissal of the Saturday of the jury in his case after that body deliberated 150 hours without reaching an agreement.

The jury will be forced to wait until the next term of court, but at liberty meanwhile under bond.

THEATRES

SCHEDULE OF AMUSEMENTS

MONDAY
Stand: Musical revue, "Watch Your Step," and picture, "All for a Woman."
Peoples: "Wallace Reid" starred in "Thirty Days."

TUESDAY
Stand: Musical revue, "Watch Your Step," and picture, "All for a Woman."
Peoples: Mary Pickford features in "Toss of the Storm Country."

Peoples: "Night Life in Hollywood" starring Herbert Rawlinson.
Crown Tree: "Wild Cats"

"OUR MARY" COMES BACK
About eight years ago Mary Pickford brought to the screen, "Toss of the Storm Country." Now Mary is back again and made this production extra special with the tremendous development that all the new processes of the screen art can give. "Toss" gives Mary the sort of a character which has endeared her for years to the American public. There isn't a bit of the lull from the wiggling of her toes to her saucy impish mannerism that is overlooked. "Toss of the Storm Country" opens a five day engagement at the Peoples Theatre, Tuesday.

FINGERIE FASHION PARADE
Watch "Your Step," the musical revue bill at the Strand, yesterday, dounded in laughs at every show.

Miss Lillie and Miss Emerson seemed to share popularity, each of their numbers taking encore after encore. Miss Emerson with "Shall, Hall and M. Duval," make a very popular and pleasing quartette, a comedy four.

Tuesday night, in addition to the

regular bill, the members of the company will give a lingerie parade. This has proven a very popular specialty which the Lillie company have put in a number of cities but which has never heretofore been presented here.

The feature photoplay showing with this bill is "All for a Woman."

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"CONFIDENCE"
Money may be the root of all evil, but if it hadn't been for money, she would never have married the heroine and "confidence." Herbert Rawlinson's latest starring vehicle coming to the Liberty theatre tomorrow night would never have been filmed. The story concerns a salesman who has just been fired because he could not deliver the goods and who launches a business of his own on nothing more than confidence.

All exhibition goods will be free from any customs or other duties.

Moscow Wants U. S. To Send Model Farm To Agricultural Show

MOSCOW, Feb. 19.—An international agricultural exhibition will be held here beginning Aug. 1, 1923. The committee in charge would like to see a "Standard Model Farm" for the occasion.

The Russian presents have been told time and again that the American farm system is the most efficient in the world. Besides this model farm the Russian farmers hope the United States will send over some tractors, all kinds of farm machinery, especially for use in the sugar, fruit and lumber industries.

All exhibition goods will be free from any customs or other duties.

Exhibited goods may be sold, in which case they will have to pay tax.

The committee in charge has also been looking for space from several hundred German firms and concerns in England, Denmark, Italy and Japan. Czechoslovakia, a great agricultural country, has also pledged a big display.

FREAK DOG WITH PURR OF CAT PRICED HIGH

OLIAN, N. Y., Feb. 19.—An animal that has the body of a woodchuck and the purr of a cat, but which really is a dog, is valued at \$125 according to L. P. Evans, owner of the strange beast.

The freak has the body and short legs of a woodchuck, and the soft fur, round head, the feet and voice

of a cat. It is the only punner of a ter of eight that was not normal. The mother of the freak, who he thinks a cage is no place for a cat fighter and woodchuck hunter, dog.

AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION

During cold, damp weather take one Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablet just before retiring every night.

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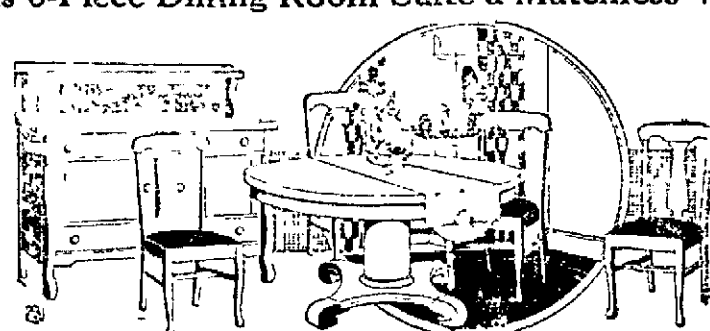


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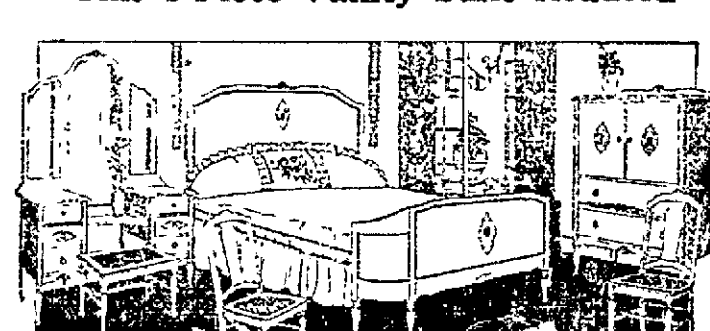


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Extra Special

Eight piece dining room suite, fumed oak finish, massive table, extra large buffet, tapestry covered chairs, only **\$169.75**

This 3-Piece Vanity Suite Reduced



This suite consists of a full sized bed, vanity, dressing table and chiffonette of the latest design. The finish is old ivory and very durable. The 3 pieces, only **\$98.50**

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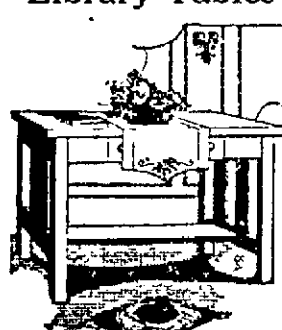
We have a very large selection of fine bed room suites, both new and used priced up to \$495.00.

Chiffoniers



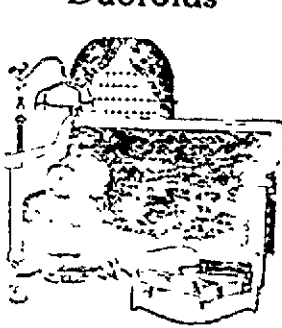
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All made of well seasoned material in a reliable manner. **\$14.75 up**

Duofolds



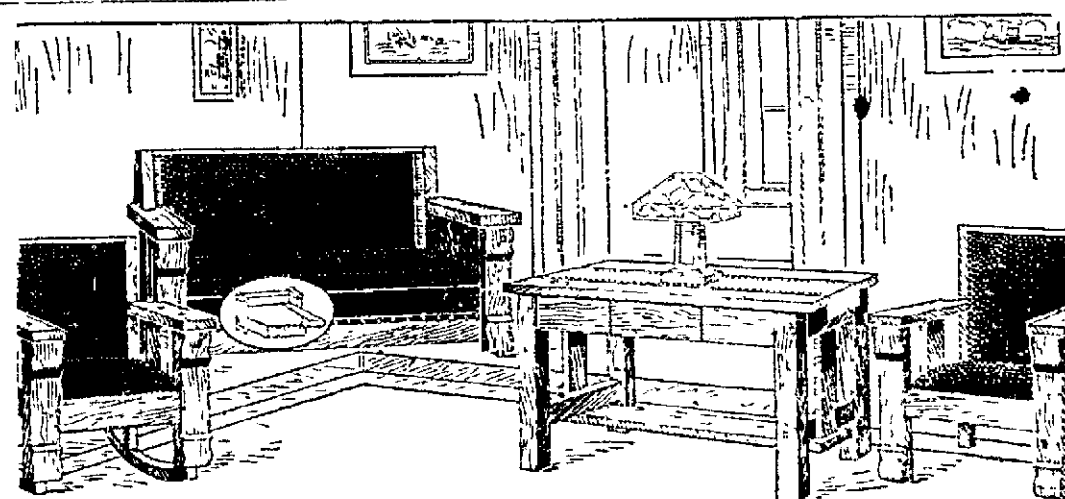
All finishes—golden and fumed oak and mahogany reduced **\$29.75 up**

PHONOGRAPHS REDUCED

Brighten The Home With Music

New Player-Tone Phonographs \$125 value, 10 selections free **\$69.85**
Slightly used Meteor Cabinet Model, 10 selections FREE **\$64.50**
Slightly used Columbia Cabinet Model, 10 selections FREE **\$59.50**
Slightly used Wilson Cabinet Model, 10 selections FREE **\$29.50**

Slightly used Edison Cabinet Model. A fine instrument with 10 selections free **\$49.50**
All the very latest C-Keh Records Only 75c



KROEHLER DUO-FOLD SUITES

Duofold and Two Rockers

New stock of genuine Kroehler Duofold suites in golden or fumed oak and mahogany. Specially priced this week **\$89.75**

Remarkable Living Room Suite Values

A handsome 3 piece mahogany living room suite upholstered in durable damask. \$165 value. Slightly used, only **\$89.75**
1 piece wicker parlor suite consisting of settee, chair and two rockers. Slightly used, only **\$49.75**

Now Is The Time To Buy Your New REFRIGERATOR

85c Down
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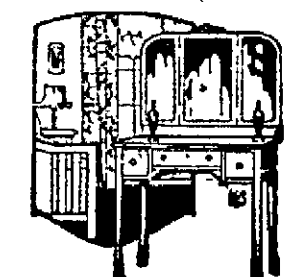
300 lb ice-book given with each refrigerator up to \$50.00.



Priced **\$14.85 up**

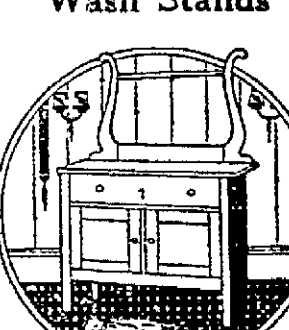
500 lb ice book given away FREE with each refrigerator at \$50.00 or over.

Delightful Dressing Tables



Specially Priced **\$19.75 up**

Wash Stands



Good substantial wash stands **\$4.75 up**

Wardrobes



Extra Special **\$22.50 up**

New Spring Shoes

You'll like the new styles in "Pol Parrot" footwear for ladies and children. They're sold exclusively at The Model Store. Just a few of the new ones are listed here.

Brown Oxfords

\$3.45

Leather oxford shoes with black laces in brown leather.

Patent Pumps

\$3.95

Leather patent pumps with low heels.

Satin Pumps

\$5.45

Leather satin pumps with low heels.

Sport Oxfords

\$6.45

Leather sport oxford shoes.

Children's Pumps

\$1.95

Children's patent pumps with one strap sizes 8 1/2 to 11.

Play Oxfords

\$1.95

Children's play oxford shoes in all sizes 8 1/2 to 11 1/2.

House Slippers

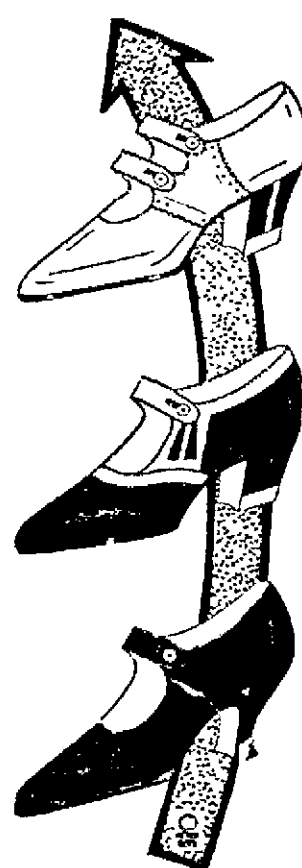
\$2.19

Leather house slippers made of soft leather with low heels and laces.

Boudoir Slippers

\$1.39

Leather boudoir slippers with low heels.



Extra Specials for Tuesday

Ginghams 29c

Red and blue ginghams, new spring patterns, also solid colors.

Dimity 19c

White dimity 19c yard special. Buy 10 yds. at The Model Store.

Colored Dimity 45c

Colored checked dimity material. 1/2 yard.

75c Ratines 59c

Spring ratines in all colors, 1/2 yard wide. A Tuesday special.

Zephyr Ginghams 59c

New Spring pattern for an Zephyr ginghams, 36 inches wide.

Sateens 49c

Highly mercerized 36 inch sateens in all colors.

Boys' \$2.25 Pants \$1.95

All colored pants for boys, all sizes, 12 to 16.

Khaki Pants

Boys' khaki pants, special special price, 80c.

\$1.25 Blouses

Boys' Rayon blouses, all kinds, special price, 75c.

75c Caps

Boys' 75c blue serge caps, special price, 61c.

Athletic Shoes

Boys' heavy athletic shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 6 Brown, tan, black, heavy rolled rubber soles, \$1.55.

Crepe de Chine \$2.45

All shades, black and light, 1/2 yard wide.

Taffetas \$2.25

Good taffeta fabric, 1/2 yard wide, 24 inches wide.

\$1.95 Sheets \$1.65

Mechanically made sheets, 66x96, 66x100, 66x104.

75c Towels 55c

Large size bath towels, 100% cotton, 24 inches wide.

35c Towels 25c

Small size bath towels, 100% cotton, 24 inches wide.

60c Hosiery 49c

Infant's hosiery, 60c, 66c, 70c, 74c, 78c, 82c, 86c, 90c, 94c, 98c, 102c, 106c, 110c, 114c, 118c, 122c, 126c, 130c, 134c, 138c, 142c, 146c, 150c, 154c, 158c, 162c, 166c, 170c, 174c, 178c, 182c, 186c, 190c, 194c, 198c, 202c, 206c, 210c, 214c, 218c, 222c, 226c, 230c, 234c, 238c, 242c, 246c, 250c, 254c, 258c, 262c, 266c, 270c, 274c, 278c, 282c, 286c, 290c, 294c, 298c, 302c, 306c, 310c, 314c, 318c, 322c, 326c, 330c, 334c, 338c, 342c, 346c, 350c, 354c, 358c, 362c, 366c, 370c, 374c, 378c, 382c, 386c, 390c, 394c, 398c, 402c, 406c, 410c, 414c, 418c, 422c, 426c, 430c, 434c, 438c, 442c, 446c, 450c, 454c, 458c, 462c, 466c, 470c, 474c, 478c, 482c, 486c, 490c, 494c, 498c, 502c, 506c, 510c, 514c, 518c, 522c, 526c, 530c, 534c, 538c, 542c, 546c, 550c, 554c, 558c, 562c, 566c, 570c, 574c, 578c, 582c, 586c, 590c, 594c, 598c, 602c, 606c, 610c, 614c, 618c, 622c, 626c, 630c, 634c, 638c, 642c, 646c, 650c, 654c, 658c, 662c, 666c, 670c, 674c, 678c, 682c, 686c, 690c, 694c, 698c, 702c, 706c, 710c, 714c, 718c, 722c, 726c, 730c, 734c, 738c, 742c, 746c, 750c, 754c, 758c, 762c, 766c, 770c, 774c, 778c, 782c, 786c, 790c, 794c, 798c, 802c, 806c, 810c, 814c, 818c, 822c, 826c, 830c, 834c, 838c, 842c, 846c, 850c, 854c, 858c, 862c, 866c, 870c, 874c, 878c, 882c, 886c, 890c, 894c, 898c, 902c, 906c, 910c, 914c, 918c, 922c, 926c, 930c, 934c, 938c, 942c, 946c, 950c, 954c, 958c, 962c, 966c, 970c, 974c, 978c, 982c, 986c, 990c, 994c, 998c, 1002c, 1006c, 1010c, 1014c, 1018c, 1022c, 1026c, 1030c, 1034c, 1038c, 1042c, 1046c, 1050c, 1054c, 1058c, 1062c, 1066c, 1070c, 1074c, 1078c, 1082c, 1086c, 1090c, 1094c, 1098c, 1102c, 1106c, 1110c, 1114c, 1118c, 1122c, 1126c, 1130c, 1134c, 1138c, 1142c, 1146c, 1150c, 1154c, 1158c, 1162c, 1166c, 1170c, 1174c, 1178c, 1182c, 1186c, 1190c, 1194c, 1198c, 1202c, 1206c, 1210c, 1214c, 1218c, 1222c, 1226c, 1230c, 1234c, 1238c, 1242c, 1246c, 1250c, 1254c, 1258c, 1262c, 1266c, 1270c, 1274c, 1278c, 1282c, 1286c, 1290c, 1294c, 1298c, 1302c, 1306c, 1310c, 1314c, 1318c, 1322c, 1326c, 1330c, 1334c, 1338c, 1342c, 1346c, 1350c, 1354c, 1358c, 1362c, 1366c, 1370c, 1374c, 1378c, 1382c, 1386c, 1390c, 1394c, 1398c, 1402c, 1406c, 1410c, 1414c, 1418c, 1422c, 1426c, 1430c, 1434c, 1438c, 1442c, 1446c, 1450c, 1454c, 1458c, 1462c, 1466c, 1470c, 1474c, 1478c, 1482c, 1486c, 1490c, 1494c, 1498c, 1502c, 1506c, 1510c, 1514c, 1518c, 1522c, 1526c, 1530c, 1534c, 1538c, 1542c, 1546c, 1550c, 1554c, 1558c, 1562c, 1566c, 1570c, 1574c, 1578c, 1582c, 1586c, 1590c, 1594c, 1598c, 1602c, 1606c, 1610c, 1614c, 1618c, 1622c, 1626c, 1630c, 1634c, 1638c, 1642c, 1646c, 1650c, 1654c, 1658c, 1662c, 1666c, 1670c, 1674c, 1678c, 1682c, 1686c, 1690c, 1694c, 1698c, 1702c, 1706c, 1710c, 1714c, 1718c, 1722c, 1726c, 1730c, 1734c, 1738c, 1742c, 1746c, 1750c, 1754c, 1758c, 1762c, 1766c, 1770c, 1774c, 1778c, 1782c, 1786c, 1790c, 1794c, 1798c, 1802c, 1806c, 1810c, 1814c, 1818c, 1822c, 1826c, 1830c, 1834c, 1838c, 1842c, 1846c, 1850c, 1854c, 1858c, 1862c, 1866c, 1870c, 1874c, 1878c, 1882c, 1886c, 1890c, 1894c, 1898c, 1902c, 1906c, 1910c, 1914c, 1918c, 1922c, 1926c, 1930c, 1934c, 1938c, 1942c, 1946c, 1950c, 1954c, 1958c, 1962c, 1966c, 1970c, 1974c, 1978c, 1982c, 1986c, 1990c, 1994c, 1998c, 2002c, 2006c, 2010c, 2014c, 2018c, 2022c, 2026c, 2030c, 2034c, 2038c, 2042c, 2046c, 2050c, 2054c, 2058c, 2062c, 2066c, 2070c, 2074c, 2078c, 2082c, 2086c, 2090c, 2094c, 2098c, 2102c,

REBELS RESUME ARSON WARFARE

Free State Amnesty Ends New Drive to Start

DUBLIN, Feb. 19.—Renewed civil warfare marked the end of the Free State's amnesty today. Fighting between national troops and irregulars occurred and the rebel campaign of arson and bombing was resumed.

Extraordinary activity on the part of Free State troops was believed to preface a drive against the insurgent troops.

In North Kerry, rebel leader Pierce asked and obtained extension of the amnesty in his district until Tuesday, to enable him to gather scattered bands for surrender.

Free States were hopeful the effort had effected a schism in the ranks of the irregulars, announcing this was indicated in letters of Mary Mac Swiney to Eamonn De Valera, confiscated by the government, in which Miss Mac Swiney denounced the former "president's" policies.

1923 IN HOMAGE TO OLD KING TUT

Electricity Lights Splendors of Ancient Tomb

LUXOR, Feb. 19.—Pharaoh Tutankhamen—dead for 35 centuries—is holding court once more on the banks of the Nile.

Foreign potentates, representatives of kings whose ancestors were painted savages when Tutankhamen died, famous warriors, and alien nobles filed slowly into the palace of death where the ancient monarch now holds sway and stood reverently before his entourage.

The sepulchre in the hillside was illuminated with electric lights as it was thrown open for the official inspection.

These modern lamps made the imposing—crown, girdle and bejeweled canopy—seem to have a thousand glittering points as the distinguished guests paced by to do homage to the lord of upper and lower Egypt whose mummy lies within.

Tutankhamen was accustomed to splendor while he lived, but it is doubtful if he ever marshaled such an efficient and variously attired army as the one which patrolled the road to his tomb—soldiers on donkeys, horses and camels and on foot armed with long poles, rifles and swords. They snapped stiffly to attention as the nobles passed.

In addition to the official visitors a motley of tourists, speaking all languages, swarmed into the valley of the kings to stare at the entrance to the subterranean chamber. Not since ancient Thebes crumbled to decay and the cries of wild beasts replaced the rumbled chariot wheels on dusty streets has such a crowd marched through its environs. Lord Carnarvon led the distinguished guests, followed by Queen Elizabeth of Belgium, Crown Prince Leopold, the Dowager Sultana of Egypt, Lord Allenby, conqueror of Palestine, and Lady Allenby; members of the Egyptian government and foreign ministers.

The next step in the examination of the tomb will be the opening of the mummy case which lies within the catafalque or canopy. This catafalque consists of a series of chests, one within the other, with huge doors which swing ponderously on squeaking hinges. The innermost of these boxes is big enough to hold the mummies.

LOPEZ TO BE INTERRED AT DELCOMBEA, LA.

The body of Gabriel Lopez, 47, who died at 11 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the family residence, 617 Thomas boulevard, after an illness with pneumonia, was shipped to Delcombea, La., under the direction of J. D. Grammer, today, and funeral will be held in that place.

Lopez had lived in Port Arthur for the past eight years, and at the time of his death was an employee of the Texas Company. Surviving are his widow, three sons, Orel, Onias and Onedest; and two daughters, Misses Aneta and Marie Lopez, all of Port Arthur.

Body of Alfred Doty To Reach Here Tonight

The body of Alfred Doty, Jr., 41, who died in Jacksonville, Texas, last Friday morning, will reach here tonight at 7:30 and will be brought to J. E. Grammie's funeral parlors in this city, pending the completion of funeral arrangements. Doty left Port Arthur about January 31 for Jacksonville, where he has been working for the T. and N. O. railroad.

Surviving are his father, Alfred Doty, Sr., of Port Arthur; three brothers, Daniel and Lewis, both of New Iberia, La., and Felix of Beaumont; and three sisters, Mrs. L. D. Dupuy, and Miss Mary Doty, both of New Orleans, and Mrs. A. Lang, of Port Arthur.

WOMEN GAMBLERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Magistrate Oberweiser has legally decided in a local city court that if the "ladies" want to gamble, they will have to take care of their "cooking and home duties" first. Just exactly how the magistrate is going to decide when home duties are properly completed is the puzzle.

Energetic!
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DR. KING'S PILLS

BRIDGE, POKER, CRAPS—THEY'RE OUT! MAH-JONGG—IT'S IN

If you haven't yet abandoned the bridge table and taken up the new indoor social sport of Mah-Jongg, you're not up on the latest form of society's recreation.

Mah-Jongg is the thing—as fashion writers would say. It's the game supported from China by tourists and it is being played all over the country. It is played with ivory-faced domino shaped, bamboo-backed blocks and some side dishes—like storks as counters, little checker-shaped chips called "designators" and a neat little pair of dice.

If you've ever played rummy, poker, dominoes and—er, no insinuation—shot craps, you ought to make good at Mah-Jongg. For this is a combination of all those—with some peculiarly Chinese variations. For instance, take its similarity to rummy. The idea is to fill in a sequence, or three straight, by drawing from the blocks on the table into the hand held by each player.



player. If a player gets three straight, he calls "Chow" and sets them down. If he gets three of a kind, he sets "Pung" and sets them down.

POKER—the long counters, set like poker chips. Some are worth 100 points, some 100, others eight and others two each. Each player gets 2000 points to start and at the end of each game there is a reckoning.

DOMINOES—The blocks are set

up like dominoes, facing each player, while the others, face down in a square two high, are to be drawn.

CRAPS—Tiny dice are thrown to decide which will be East Wind, or banker, at the start. Then they are thrown at each game to decide how the blocks are to be laid out before drawing.

Argentine Navy Buys German Ships

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 19.—Naval limitations have not affected the purchase of auxiliary naval craft by the Argentine government to any appreciable extent. The Stines shipbuilding organization has just delivered ten scout cruisers to the Argentine naval authorities, and it is stated that the construction of these ships is of the most modern and efficient character.

Some of the German crew will be retained by the Argentine navy under special contract owing to their special knowledge of the characteristics of these craft. The Fritz Hingo Stines V, which came as a mother ship across, the Atlantic acting as tender for the flotilla brought over a valuable cargo for the account of the Stines export organization. The Germans evidently believe in killing two birds, or twenty, with one stone, wherever possible.

After appearing in "The Beggar's Opera" 198 times, one of the actors recently forgot his lines, at the 199th performance.

12-YEAR-OLD ROMEO 'FALLS' FOR JULIET BUT

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19.—Philip Meckin, 12-year-old "Romero" failed in his quest for "Juliet" after a trip to Lancaster, Pa.

The romance of the theater spotlight, mixed with a fertile imagination, started Philip on a "love quest." The boy attended a vaudeville show here and a little blond maid won his heart.

Philip learned that the show was leaving for Lancaster so he shooed snow to finance his trip there. Philip finally reached Lancaster but fate was against him for the theater was locked. He was found by police huddled against the stage door, hungry and nearly frozen.

Authorities sent the boy back to his home here without seeing his "dream girl."

VANCOUVER EXPORTS

VANCOUVER, British Columbia, Feb. 19.—According to figures supplied by the American Consul General at this port, there was a total export of goods in 1922 from Vancouver to the United States and possessions valued at \$42,519,882, against a valuation of \$22,192,882 in 1921.



One Man Burns to Death in Smackover; Loss is \$200,000

SMACKOVER, Ark., Feb. 19.—One man was burned to death and nearly a block of business buildings here were destroyed by fire early Sunday morning at an estimated loss of \$200,000.

W. A. Basham, 45, a pipe checker for a local supply house, lost his life when he broke away from firemen and police and rushed into his room at the Commercial hotel, one of the burning structures, to save his effects. The fire originated from a defective gas stove.

BIRDMEN VS. BIRDS

VINTA, Okla., Feb. 19.—Aviators hired by landmen near here came away with geese and ducks from shocked corn, threw up the job as the wild birds refused to be scared by the plane.

CHANCE THINKS SOX GOT BEST OF YANK TRADE

'Lefty' O'Doul Gets Cherished Wish to Pitch Soon

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Manager Frank Chance of the Red Sox has positively announced that "Lefty" O'Doul will get his cherished wish, a chance to "go good" as a pitcher.

Carried for three or four years by the Yankees, with the exception of a year spent in the Coast League, O'Doul has been a bench warmer practically all the time.

His great work on the coast, where he won 25 ball games, caused the Sox to bring him back to the big show. He was counted on as having a chance to get a chance to pitch when he left with Boston was made and he came to get it.

"Pennock will help the Yanks," says Chance, "he is a steady pitcher who should win many games with a strong club like New York."

"I wanted McMillan for third, that is why I permitted Pennock to get away. In addition I am told that O'Doul has a great deal more stuff and only needs the opportunity to make good."

He is going to get it. He will either be a star or a flatter at the close of the season, because, he will be much used."

SETS NEW PACE

MALONE, N. Y., Feb. 19.—Arthur Stuf of Chicago, professional ice skating champion, established new world's records for the 100 and 150 yard events at the professional skating meet here today. Stuf lowered the 100 yard record from 9 3/5 to 8 4/5 seconds. He cut the 150 yard record from 14 4/5 to 13 3/5 seconds.

LYNCH MEETS HUSIC

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Joe Lynch, heavyweight champion, has decided to defend his title. He will meet Pete Husic in Harrisburg February 25, and will engage Joe Mendoza in a no decision bout in Philadelphia, March 5.

WORKERS BUYING UP STOCK IN CAR LINE

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 19.—Employees of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company, the only street car company in the third largest city in the United States, will soon own the trolley line.

Forty-five thousand shares of the company's stock will be required by employees during 1923. When their purchases are completed, the men will own 100,000 shares, in addition to 10,000 shares held by the Welfare association, of par value of \$7,000,000. There is \$20,000,000 par value P. R. T. stock outstanding.

As soon as the purchase is completed the employees of the trolley company will be the largest single interest from a stock ownership point of view. Thomas E. Mitten, president of the P. R. T., recently told the men that through the cooperative wage dividend he planned to make them sole owners of the property.

FEAR SUICIDE OF CONVICTED WOMAN

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Attendants kept incessant watch over Mrs. Lilian Rabin, slayer of Abraham Glickstone, to prevent a possible attempt at suicide today while announcement was made that sentence will not be pronounced until tomorrow.

A jury yesterday brought in a verdict of second degree murder. Mrs. Rabin is near collapse. The verdict carried a term of twenty years to life.

ORANGE FIRE INSURANCE RATES ARE REDUCED

ORANGE, Texas, Feb. 19.—Reduction of 15 per cent in the fire insurance rates applying to this city has been made by the state fire insurance commission, according to word reaching here from Austin. The reduction is based upon a record of 12 per cent losses from fires during 1920, 1921 and 1922, the best record in the history of the city, it is said.

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Tilden Shows Form Despite Old Wound

Loses To Youthful Protege In Two Sets, But
Displays All Former Tactics In Exhibition;
Critics Believe He Will Come Back.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Bill Tilden, the big world's tennis champion, may be lacking a part of an important finger, but none of his old game is missing.

Although he lost a two set match to Vinnie Richards, both 11-9, in his first exhibition here since the operation, the tall champion showed critics yesterday that his game is as good as ever.

Losing to Richards meant nothing because he has lost to his youthful proteges before and most any one will lose to the youngster when he is as right as he was yesterday.

Tilden showed everything that he has ever flashed on a court. His forehand and backhand were as hard and accurate as he ever possessed. He served, chopped and sliced with all the brilliance of form that carried him to the world's championship. In every way he seems to be missing, not one bit, the end of that finger.

He does not favor the finger and he goes about every stroke in his repertoire with perfect confidence. The wound still hurts him, he said, but he does not intend to humor it.

Since the operation seems not to have injured Tilden's game it means much to American tennis. With a handicapped or less efficient Tilden the United States would have a battle to retain the Davis cup this summer and without him at all it would be almost impossible if some veteran team like the Australians came through to the challenge round.

STARS PUT IN HARD TRAINING FOR VISITORS

Abbey's Five Prepares For
Game Tomorrow Night

BY TAB
With some of the classic players they have ever had on their lineup, St. Mary's College quietest will arrive here Tuesday to clash with the fast Texaco Stars.

Arrangement that the St. Mary's bunch is rated as a class issue this season was made here this morning, and from the local camp came the statement at the same time that the Stars will send their strongest lineup into the game against the visitors.

St. Mary's club is heralded as having a pair of forwards that shoot goals with an accuracy which while it is said of their guards that they manage the end of the field in an expert fashion.

The Texaco Stars will practice tonight in Franklin gym, receiving their last training prior to the clash on the same floor Tuesday.

The Stars will probably have Captain Perkins, Willoughby and Palmer in the game tomorrow night, while Best, Farhart and Bogart, all well-known court performers, will also be seen in action again. Wilbur Abbey, coach of the contingent, had ten of his players out for practice last Thursday evening, and the club showed up in better form than they were rating prior to their initial clash with the Good Guilers. It is predicted from their camp that they will be in food trim for the St. Mary's five.

What is Status of Danforth? Can He Legally Pitch?

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 19.—Dave Danforth will again be a member of the St. Louis pitching staff in the coming campaign, for a time at least.

Dave Danforth is the mystery man of baseball, an eyecore to every American League umpire.

American League umpires credit Danforth with being able to do more tricks with a baseball than Willie Hoppe can do with the Ivory.

Last year Danforth was suspended for 10 days on complaint of Umpire "Buck" Owens, who caught Dave doctoring the ball, so it is alleged. The incident not only caused Danforth to be suspended, but drove him to the minors. Sent to Tulsa, in the Western League, he finished in fine style.

Danforth has been brought back to the big show because the Browns need a southpaw. What will be his fate?

He really has enough stuff to get by on without resorting to trickery, but Dave at times can't see it that way.

Last season the umpires gave him a clean bill of health, but he soon went back to his old ways.

WOULD BAR FROSH
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Proposal to bar freshmen from participation in the intercollegiate track and field championships will be offered again at the annual meeting of the association next month.

DEFEATS U. S. GIRL
CANNES, Feb. 19.—Vie, Suzanne Lenglen, world's tennis champion, again won the Cannes tournament championship when she defeated Miss Elizabeth Ryan, American girl, 6-5 and 6-1 in the final round.

ON THE FIRING LINE With "TAB"

The game between St. Mary's and the Texaco Stars is calculated to add the Stars for their second encounter with the Good Gulf team Friday night.

St. Mary's is bringing a strong contingent here for a double bill; they play the Stars of the Texaco Company Tuesday evening, and Wednesday evening they meet the Port Arthur Casey's on the same court.

If the Texaco Stars and the Casey's both conquer the visiting aggregation, and their respective wins are comparable, it is not amiss to predict that a clash between two local teams would be a fast number.

The PORT ARTHUR NEWS sport trophy, a beautiful silver loving cup, is at stake again Friday evening when "Tobin" Forbes' proteges and Coach Abbey's contingent battle their second round.

Beaumont upset all the dope when they won the District 14 title here Saturday night. Port Arthur also upset a little, for local fandom had secured the Smith machine to be the strongest contender outside of Kirbyville for the crown.

It is safe to predict that if Coach Kennedy's boys keep pounding away at the same rate that they eloped Kirbyville's winners during the tournament, that they will go far on the road to success at Austin.

Bill Tilden is crashing away with a wicked racket despite a crippled hand. Critics make much of Bill's injuries, but Bill makes light of it all. Possibly Bill knows his stuff.

With Irish Johnny Curtin out of the way, Carl Tremaine now steps up to the front row as the only formidable opponent left to challenge Joe Lynch's crown. And the critics say Joe was worried when he saw Carl out the finishing touches to Curtin last week.

Orange stepped into the limelight over the week-end and organized a \$6000 baseball team. They haven't got the players yet, but they've got the dough, and that's half the battle.

It's time for Port Arthur's long-postponed confab to be called, and get a snappy City League started off here, too.

Jack Hutchinson has a new job. Jack has accepted the managerial post at the Miami, Fla. interests of Carl Fisher, multi-millionaire sportsman. Jack has a good partner to help him on that job, too; none other than Gene Sarazen is slated to help manage the "interests."

KOUNTZE JUNIORS WIN
KOUNTZE, Texas, Feb. 19.—The Kountze Juniors defeated the Saratoga Juniors in a "tie out" game on Saratoga court yesterday by the score of 12 to 10.

Kountze: Crosby, left forward 6; Williford, right forward 4; Tigert, center 0; Adair, right guard 2; Cunningham, left guard 0.

Saratoga: Yielding, left forward 6; Weaver, right forward 4; Cotton (center) 4; Nichols, right guard 2; Lewis, left guard 0.

AMERICANS OUT
CAMBRIDGE, Feb. 19.—Twenty-two American students are rowing with the various college crews at Cambridge, but none of them has risen to a place on the varsity squad from which eight men will be chosen to make the annual race against Oxford, March 21. The Americans will have their competitive spirits put to the test soon, however, when the annual Lent bumping race takes place.

HEADS OLYMPIC
PARIS, Feb. 19.—Count Clary, president of the French Olympic committee, has been appointed general commissioner by the government in a decree published today for the 1924 Olympic games to be held in France. He will have complete charge of the Olympic organization and its funds.

GENE AND JOCK WIN
DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 19.—Gene Sarazen of Pittsburg, open professional golf champion of the U. S., and Jock Hutchinson of Chicago, the first American to win the British open golf championship, defeated Jim and Bill Mackenzie, brothers, local professionals, in an exhibition match here today, 6 up.

PITCHING HORSESHOES VIES WITH GOLF FOR SOUTHERN POPULARITY



LEFT TO RIGHT: GRACE MASON, NELL MARTIN.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 19.—Pitching horseshoes is the latest fad among society's younger set in Atlanta.

Already a number of teams have been formed, and at the Piedmont Driving club, one of the city's most exclusive clubs, matches are held almost daily.

Miss Grace Mason, daughter of the city attorney, one of the most ardent of the devotees of the latest fad, declares she thinks it much more exciting and interesting than golf, and that it requires a great deal more skill.

An elimination tournament will be held the first part of the spring, and the five best pitchers will be named as the Atlanta Society Horseshoe Pitchers, and challenges issued to like teams in Birmingham, New Orleans and other southern cities.

The craze originated at the winter resorts in Florida, and Atlanta misses, returning from their annual sojourn in the pleasure haunts of the southern States, that they immediately set about forming clubs in Atlanta.

Clubs already have been formed and more are being formed daily.

"It's the greatest sport I ever tried, and I'm just wild about it," Miss Nell Martin declared. "I think that we can form a world-beating team in Atlanta and next year when the Florida winter season opens show those women from the east and west nothing new in this ancient game. It looks easy, but I tell you it takes real skill to be able to pitch one of those heavy horseshoes correctly."

Not in Paris To Settle Grudge
PARIS, Feb. 19.—Still refusing to reply to the verbal shots fired at her by Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen, the world's champion, Mrs. Molla Mallory, American champion, left today for Monte Carlo.

While Mrs. Mallory refused even to notice newspaper men, her husband, Frank I. Mallory, said it was undecided whether Mrs. Mallory will compete in the tennis tournaments.

It all depends on her health. She is feeling much better now and she may be able to play.

"Mrs. Mallory did not come to France on any kind of war mission. She plays tennis not to settle grudges, but because she likes it. If she engages in any tournaments she will be prepared to play anyone she is called upon to meet."

WIND STOPS PLAY
PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 19.—High winds and cold weather interrupted today with play in the annual mixed four ball women's professional golf match at the Palm Beach country club links, in which the most expert women golfers of Palm Beach headed by Miss Glenna Collett, women's national champion, participated.

No pitcher ever made a more sensational debut than the youngster sent into a game in which Detroit had a four or five run lead, as a result of knocking out one of the vets. Blankenship stopped 'em dead. Chicago tied up the game but the recruit reliever was defeated in extra innings.

Near the close of the season Secretary Grabner of the White Sox, enthused over the fine work of Blankenship, asked him if he knew of any other pitchers in Texas who might have a chance.

"The only other one I could recommend is my brother, he is a much better pitcher than me."

Thorpe Grabner burned up the wires and he had the younger Blankenship signed. That is how the White Sox happen to have the Blankenship boys on the pitching staff. Both look like stars of the future.

Golfers in Houston For Tourney Which Lasts Through Week
HOUSTON, Texas, Feb. 19.—Golfers from all parts of the southwest were arriving here today for the annual invitation tournament of the Houston country club, which opens tomorrow. Professional golfers, golfers, familiar to members of the Texas country clubs will tee off Tuesday after which the amateur matches will start. Joe Kirkwood, Australian open champion and trick shot expert, and Walter Hazen, British open champion, will play a 36-hole match next Sunday with George Houston and O. S. Charlton, local golfers.

The sport scribes tournament will be another feature of the week's golf program.

ESTABLISH RECORDS
ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 19.—Two more records, one in the singles and another in the doubles, were established today at the International Bowling association's tournament here.

With games of 228, 278 and 216, K. G. Seiple, of Omaha, Neb., took the lead in the singles with 716, a total of 11 pins higher than the previous I. B. A. mark of 705, made by J. B. Debar of Duluth, Minn., in 1913. Seiple's second game of 278 also is the best single score of the tourney to date.

ORANGE RAISES FUNDS TO FORM BASEBALL TEAM

J. A. Stewart Heads \$6,000
City Organization

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS
ORANGE, Texas, Feb. 19.—Orange will have a baseball team this season.

This was the announcement made here following a called meeting of baseball enthusiasts, at which more than 50 business men, players and boosters were present. The meeting resulted in a permanent organization being perfected, with J. A. Stewart being chosen president and general manager.

Other officers elected include L. V. Donaldson as secretary and treasurer. The club plans to raise \$6,000 to support a team that will be "second to none outside of the big show."

Plans for raising the money will include the effort to sell 200 season tickets for the season of five and a half months at \$10 each; the raising of \$2,000 by private subscription and the balance to be taken in by gate receipts.

The success of last year and previous years had the effect of fortifying the fans in the belief that the 1923 aggregation would do the part of satisfying lovers of the national sport.

A wonderful record was achieved by the Orange ball club last year under the guidance of John Stewart, who will be at the helm again this year.

Stark park, where the St. Louis Cardinals of the American Nationals played for the last two seasons, will constitute the playgrounds for the local ball team. H. J. Lutchner Stark, ordered the club the use of the park, together with its modern clubhouse, all of which eclipse the best ball ground equipment in the south, according to the verdict of professionals.

HOUSTON, Feb. 19.—Glenn Myrtt, \$3,000 catcher, who threatened to retire for private business will be with the Cleveland Indians next season, Tris Speaker announced.

Gene and Jock Will Manage Big Club

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 19.—Jock Hutchinson, former British open golf champion and Gene Sarazen, American open champion will manage the Miami, Fla. interests of Carl Fisher, multi-millionaire sportsman. Hutchinson declared today.

Fisher founded Miami beach, famous Florida winter resort. He is the owner of the Indianapolis speedway.

CRITICISE PRINCETON
NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 19.—Yale Athletic association severely criticized Princeton for rough play in the Hockey game which Yale won 1-0 Saturday night. "The idea of fair play is predominant among all Yale coaches. After the game begins the situation rears entirely with the players. Not so with Harvard or Princeton," a statement read.

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